LOWELL WORKERS ASKED TO JOIN STRIKE

THE WEATHER

Boston and vicinity: Unsettled, probably light local snows tonight and tuesday; somewhat warmer Tuesday; diminishing north winds becoming variable.
Sun rises, 6:39; sets, 5:19.
Moon rises, 8:25; p. m.
High tide, 12:44 a. m., 1:01 p. m.
Temperatures (11:00a): Maximum, 35 at noon; minimum, 23 at 7 a. m.; average, 29.
Temperature at 8 a. m., 35.
Light all vehicles at 5:49 p. m.

BOSTON AMERICAN

NEW ENGLAND'S GREATEST HOME NEWSPAPER

FINAL EDITION EXTRA

VOL. 15—NO. 282

Copyright, 1919, by the International Newspaper Pub. Co.

BOSTON, MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1919

Entered at the Boston Post Office as Second Class Matter

PRICE TWO CENTS

GERMANS SIGN NEW ARMISTICE

GUARD WILSON FROM 'HECKLERS'

GERMANS URGED TO FIGHT 'REDS'

Hindenburg Calls for Volunteers to Save Cantry "From New Enemy—Bolshevism"

By ALFRED GANDERSON, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Berlin, Feb. 17 (Delayed).—Field Marshal von Hindenburg today issued from his headquarters at Colberg a rallying call for volunteers.

The document, given to the German press for general distribution, deplores the "general loss of willingness to sacrifice for patriotism" and urges the people to work energetically to preserve the native soil against the new enemy, Bolshism.

"You, my bold comrades and comrades of Tannenberg and the Masurian Lakes," the appeal concludes, "hurry to my aid. My appeal to Germany's sons must not remain unheeded.

"Regardless of rifle, whether Bavarians, Saxons, Swabians or Prussians, regardless of party, we are all Germans. Forget what divides us. Gather again in love of home and discipline and in confidence in our leaders."

Germany's Financial Situation Desperate, Declares Schiffer

By International News Service.

Weimar, Feb. 17.—Germany's financial condition is desperate," declares Herr Schiffer, minister of finance, "and the future depends solely upon the condition the entente leaves us in. We must wait calmly and patiently until that has been decided.

"Our economic situation also is desperate and our conception of property must be changed so that in the future individuals must consider themselves not the owners but the administrators of it.

"In October the German Empire faced absolute exhaustion, but the raising of fifteen billion marks on unsecured notes tided over the situation."

We Have Halted the Hun—Why Not Halt Disease?

Huntington Hall, Pierce Building, 201 Boylston Street.

On Wednesday, February 19, at 8 P. M. COME AND HEAR

Dr. George E. Vincent, Chairman, International Health Board, and President, Rockefeller Foundation, on "The American Attack on Tuberculosis in France."
Dr. Charles V. Kelley, M. D., State Commissioner of Health of Massachusetts, on "Health Conservation in Massachusetts." (10 minutes.)
Dr. Linsly R. Ingram, M. D., President, National Tuberculosis Association, "Curing an Unfavorable Disease." (15 minutes.)
Miss Mary A. Beard, R. N., President, National Organization for Public Health Nursing, "Healing Through Nursing." (10 minutes.)

Stereopticon Illustrations of Famous Sanatoria

No Entrance Fee! No Collection! No Subscriptions!
(Under the Auspices of the Central New England Sanatorium.)

'Brest a Horrible Hole; Get Soldiers Back,' Says Owen

By International News Service.

New York, Feb. 17.—"It is absolutely imperative that the American soldiers abroad return at once," declared United States Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma, who returned today on the steamship Rotterdam after studying financial conditions in England, France and Spain. "Brest is a horrible hole—not fit for cattle."

"The first thing I am going to do when I reach Washington," Senator Owen added, "is to tell the Secretary of War about conditions at Brest and how the men long to come home. I shall also take the matter up immediately with the Senate Committee on Military Affairs. I shall recommend that the men be brought back at once and that proper steps be taken to care for them here."

Commenting on conditions at Brest, Senator Owen added:

"The climate conditions there are bad. It rains or is misty almost every day. Officers of the army are doing their utmost, but the conditions are beyond them. Troops are piling in too rapidly for the ships available. All the men are homesick. One major committed suicide because of homesickness.

"When we reached Brest we could not find a place to sleep. The men stand around in the rain and mud for hours waiting for their food. Anybody who advocates an improvement of conditions there is an anti-charitable work.

"Brest is a horrible hole—not fit for cattle. We were told that conditions had improved before we reached there, but if they did God help the men who were there before."

LAURIER DYING OF PARALYTIC STROKE

By International News Service.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 17.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, former Premier of Canada, who suffered a paralytic stroke on Sunday, is dying. His condition took a turn for the worse today.

The following bulletin was issued by Dr. R. E. Chesnier, Sir Wilfrid's physician, this morning:

"After midnight Sir Wilfrid had a relapse. There was a new effusion of blood into the brain. He took a very bad turn. Dr. R. E. Vallu and myself went into consultation at 1:30.

"The case seems to be hopeless and Sir Wilfrid is sinking slowly. Left side is affected. Up till midnight Sir Wilfrid was doing very well and until a short time ago was conscious and could understand and answer questions. He is practically unconscious now."

SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT AGAIN BEFORE SENATE

Washington, Feb. 17.—The Federal woman suffrage amendment, twice defeated at the present session, was reintroduced in the Senate this afternoon by Senator Jones of Washington, Jones, as the ranking Republican member of the committee on woman suffrage, took this action when the chairman, Senator Jones of New Mexico, declined to reintroduce the resolution. If the President when he returns to the United States is able to secure one vote for the suffrage amendment it will be brought up and passed in the last days of the present session.

HANSON BEGINS PRISON TERM IN TAILOR SHOP

Luther B. Hanson, after twenty-four hours in solitary confinement, began his eight to nine-year term in the Charlestown State Prison for the robbery of $171,000 from the Market Trust Company of Brighton. Hanson attended service in the chapel and was later sent to the tailoring shop, where he will learn the trade.

Convention Hall

First Annual Costume Ball announced for February 19 is postponed; date to be announced later.

LODGE LIBERTAE FATRIA NO. 876

ENVOYS DEBATE THE RUSSIAN PROBLEM

Paris, Feb. 17.—The supreme council of the great powers again took up the Russian question at this morning's session.

The council debated the idea of Winston Spencer Churchill, who was heard at Saturday's meeting, of asking all parties in Russia to cease hostilities and the appointment of a commission to take evidence from each organized group. The suggestion is to invest the commission with full powers of arbitration.

The new plan does not provide a meeting of the Bolsheviki and the other governments who declined the invitation to attend the general conference at Princes' Islands.

Before his departure for America, President Wilson will confer tomorrow over the conference's inability to take any practical measures to regard Russia. He enjoined the American delegation to the peace conference to co-operate cordially in any workable scheme in that direction.

Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain is also extremely anxious to solve the problem, in view of the unsettled labor conditions in England and the leanings toward Bolshevism of certain labor leaders.

Premier Borden of Canada, in a week-end speech, urged the delegates to the peace conference to speed up their deliberations. He declared that over three months had elapsed since the armistice and that the soldiers believe that much time has been wasted and are amazed at the deliberate methods employed.

France will support the League of Nations covenant as a whole, it was learned today from an authoritative source. While her delegates on the special committee suggested several features which were not included in the final draft, her enthusiastic support of the idea is not affected thereby.

French opinion holds that article eight, concerning the fleets, may serve the purpose of Great Britain and America and enable them to dispense with the maintaining of big standing armies. But French officials firmly believe and will demand that France shall maintain the biggest army of the nations participating in the covenant. They believe that the open frontier compels France to stand prepared for any sudden aggression.

DAMAGE OF $75,000 IN DELUGE

Two Million Gallons Let Loose by Break at Metropolitan Plant

Clinton, Feb. 17.—The power plant of the metropolitan water system was damaged $75,000 today by a break in one of the four turbines within the plant at the Wachusett dam, a mile south of Clinton.

A section of steel about five feet long and two feet wide was torn from the top of the machine, permitting the flow of about 2,000,000 gallons of water into the building before it was shut off.

The force of the water was so great that Patrick Heater and Samuel Mahan, watchmen, could not reach the gates to check the flow. It was necessary to get to the upper side of the big dam and shut the gates there, cutting off the supply from the reservoir.

The glass windows in the building reached the pressure of the water which rapidly filled the plant until it reached the eaves. Then the pressure became excessive and water began to pour out from every point.

Water flooded the office of the State Commission, carrying away desks, chairs, files and other office equipment. The interior of the plant itself was stripped of woodwork and iron railings.

Superintendent F. H. R. Allardice believed that three of the four big power units were out of commission. The plant was installed about nine years ago at an approximate cost of $125,000, and has provided power, purchased by the New England Power Company, to be used in this section of the State.

It is said that the damage is not of a nature to shut off a supply of water from the reservoir necessary for immediate use.

POLICE PREPARE FOR TROUBLE AT HAVERHILL

Haverhill, Feb. 17.—Following a secret meeting between Mayor Croy and members of the city council today, fifty special policemen were armed with clubs and made ready to resist any trouble which might arise between labor men. The trouble, which has been seething for day, grows out of a dispute between members of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union and the Shoe Workers' Protective Union. Members of the latter organization resent the action of the Austin H. Perry factory in shutting them out and recognizing the stamp of the Boot and Shoe Workers', and sharp clashes are already recorded between members of these two bodies. Word has come to Mayor Croy that trouble is expected tonight in the square.

GERMANS AND ALLIES TO STEM BOLSHEVIKI

Copenhagen, Feb. 17.—The Berliner Zeitung asserts today that entente troops will co-operate with German forces on the east front in stemming the advance of the Bolsheviki unless the advance is voluntarily checked by Bolshevist leaders. An Italian regiment is expected at Kovno, and British troops are looked for at Libau, the newspaper adds.

BELFAST TRAM SERVICE AGAIN INTERRUPTED

London, Feb. 17.—Partial tram service was resumed yesterday at Belfast, but attempts to interrupt it were made by a mob, following a mass meeting of strikers. The mob finally was dispersed by the police, but the tram service was stopped at dusk.

Unrest in Newport Over Profiteering Merchants

Newport, R. I., Feb. 17.—Housewives want pre-war prices. Soldiers want jobs. This is the burden of a movement of unrest in Newport against profiteering dealers and restaurants, and high salaried officials in so-called reconstruction work. Restaurants made rich by army and navy patronage, and by food board restrictions, have failed to put back the sugar bowl. Beans for working men are still fifteen cents a plate, instead of the old-time five cents. Bread is poor at ten cents, when it ought to be good at five.

"Soldiers want work, not charity," is the cry against certain bureaus which pay high salaries to officials supposed to "benefit" returned soldiers.

SHARP ADVANCE IN BUTTER AND EGGS

Simultaneously with announcements from Washington today that cold storage houses are holding 40.8 per cent. more butter at the present time than a year ago, butter prices advanced sharply in the retail markets. Butter prices went up both in town and in the suburban markets.

At the first of the present month cold storage houses were holding more than twenty-six and one-quarter millions pounds of creamery butter over the amount held last year at this time.

With the home-made doughnut but a memory and a hope because of the high lard prices, it is announced that 119.2 per cent. more lard is being held in storage than at this time in 1918. There are 135,342,428 pounds of lard lying off the market in storage houses while the price of lard today in Boston ranges from 30 to 35 cents.

STAGGERING STORAGE FIGURES.

Besides the vast hoards of butter and lard in the refrigerator rooms, the holdings of Swiss cheese increased 55.2 per cent. over last year's cold storage holdings. At present there is in cold storage 2,216,210 pounds of Swiss cheese. Advances in the amount of other cheeses now being

Continued on Page 8, Column 2.

EBERT PLANS TOUR TO ALL TEUTON CAPITALS

Weimar, Feb. 17.—Provisional President Frederick Ebert will go to Berlin within a few days, after which he plans to make a country-wide tour of the German state capitals and Vienna. During his stay in Berlin he will live at Bellevue Palace.

CALLS EBERT SLAYER OF KARL LIEBKNECHT

Weimar, Feb. 17.—Provisional President Frederick Ebert and Philip Scheidemann were accused of the murder of Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg, radical leaders, in an address before the National Assembly here by Herbert Haase.

BERNSTORFF DENIES FRENCH SAAR CLAIMS

Copenhagen, Feb. 17.—Memoranda prepared for the use of the German delegates at the Versailles peace conference by Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States, denies all French claims to the Valley of the Saar.

LAWRENCE MILL IS CLOSED

Striking Boiler Firemen Throw Out 1,000 Hands; Shutdown May Be Temporary

By JOHN F. GAVIN.

Lawrence, Feb. 17.—Fifteen boiler firemen walked out of the Pacific Print Mills today, causing a shutdown which threw 1,000 men and women out of work.

At the same time Ime Kaplan, secretary of the general strike committee, declared that mill workers in Lowell were to be organized and called out on strike this week.

Kaplan declared that the situation in Lowell was similar to that here, that thousands of mill operatives were unorganized, and that they would be urged to join forces with the Lawrence workers.

The tie-up at the Pacific Print Mills may be only temporary, as the fifteen boiler firemen who quit comprised only one shift. It is believed, however, that they formulated demands which have not yet been made public. Their walkout had all the appearance of a sympathetic strike. It was the first apparent result of the strike committee's announcement some days ago that it would call on operatives other than textile to support the strikers.

ANOTHER ARREST MADE.

Similar action on the part of boiler firemen of other mills was predicted.

Another arrest was made in the person of Tony Tonasi of No. 14 Elm street for intimidation.

Nine strikers, arrested on intimidation and similar charges, appeared in

Continued on Page 2, Column 8.

ADMIRAL WOOD ASKS FOR SEA DUTY

Rear Admiral Spencer S. Wood, commanding the First Naval District, has applied for sea duty, and it his request is acceded to by the Navy Department will leave the command of this district, where he has made a favorable record.

Admiral Wood stated to the American today that he could not tell just come, but that he thought it might not be for some time.

It is also announced that Captain William R. Rush, who has been commandant of the navy yard, will return to retirement. At the outbreak of the war Captain Rush, with other retired officers was called back to service, although at that time, while he was on the retired list, he was temporarily acting as commandant of the Charlestown yard.

TODAY'S BANK CLEARINGS.

Boston bank clearings, $36,422,-808.

Boston Sub-Treasury, credit, $90,679.

New York bank clearings, $497,-269,995.

New York Sub-Treasury, credit, $4,907,759.

All regular editions of the Boston American will be published Saturday, February 22, Washington's Birthday.

Redeem Old Railway Tickets for Cash, Says Attwill

Railway tickets and mileage books, issued before any increase in fare, are not good for passage, but must be redeemed by the road at their face value. This was the decision handed down today by Attorney-General Attwill, following a controversy which has engaged the attention of road officials and commuters for months.

When the Elevated increased its fare, old tickets were good for passage if the amount of the increase was added in cash. This is not true of railroad tickets, by the attorney-general's decision.

PLANS BEGUN FOR RECEPTION TO WILSON

Governor Coolidge and Mayor Peters today conferred for the purpose of formulating plans for the reception to President Wilson next week. The conference was in the Governor's office.

Following the meeting Mayor Peters stated that it had been definitely decided that the President was to make but one speech. This will probably be delivered in Faneuil Hall or Mechanics Hall, or the Boston Opera House.

A tentative program will be drawn up within the next twenty-four hours and this will be submitted first to Secretary Tumulty and later flashed to the President aboard the George Washington.

The Governor will make an official call upon the President at the latter's hotel, following the welcome at the pier. It is expected that Mr. Tumulty will arrive in Boston a day before the President to go over the final plans.

The Governor also stated that the President would be invited to speak to the Senate and House. A formal luncheon and dinner will be tendered the Presidential party if the ship docks in the morning.

Mrs. Coolidge and Mrs. Peters are to entertain Mrs. Wilson and her party.

"Of course I shall do every thing in my power to co-operate with the Mayor," said the Governor, "if shall appoint a reception committee to act with the Mayor's committee.

Mayor Peters said he shall immediately name a committee to act with me. Already many citizens have offered their aid."

PORTUGUESE ROYALIST LEADER IMPRISONED

Madrid, Feb. 17.—Paiva Conceiro, leader of the Portuguese royalists, has been wounded and is imprisoned at Oporto, according to advices received here today.

MILITANT PLAN IS SCORED

Boston Suffrage Leaders Urge Thanks for President, Not Abuse

Plans of the National Woman's Party to hold a demonstration hostile to President Wilson on his arrival here were today very much "up in the air."

With police officials prepared to put down any disturbance, with local suffragists of other organizations entirely opposed to the "antics" of the militants and with the militants themselves all aflutter because no orders from Washington, the national headquarters, had yet arrived, it looked as though the threatened activities of the militants might prove a tempest in a teapot.

The plan as originally announced was that members of the National Woman's Party should stand in a double row to greet the President when his ship docked here from Brest, and force him to run a gantlet of banners decorated with hostile sentiments.

The burden of these sentiments was to be that the President should have stayed at home and worked for suffrage rather than go abroad to take part in the world peace conference.

THANKS, NOT CENSURE.

The Massachusettes' Woman Suffrage Association, the Boston Equal Suffrage Association for Good Government and prominent suffragists in many quarters" with any plan to mar the "disgusted" with any plan to mar the President's arrival here.

"I don't wish to make any premature statement as to any definite plan," said Superintendent of Police Crowley, "but I am confident that the police will be competent to handle the situation and to prevent any disorder or annoyance to the President.

It is known that Superintendent Crowley's attitude was fully supported by Police Commissioner Edwin U. Curtis.

The consensus of opinion among prominent suffrage leaders was that President Wilson deserved thanks instead of censure for what he had done in the suffrage cause.

"He has done more for suffrage than any other man in the world has ever done," said Mrs. Susan W. Fitzgerald, formerly head of the Political Equality Union, and a well known member of the State Suffrage Associ-

Continued on Page 2, Column 6.

NEW ARMISTICE SIGNED AT TREVES

Treves, Feb. 17.—The new armistice was signed at 6:30 last night in Marshal Foch's private car.

RELATIVES OF MEN WHO DIED IN WAR SUPPORT FIGHT FOR BONUS

DEMAND JUSTICE FOR HEROES WHO HAVE COME BACK

Hundreds of the signers of the Boston American's petition for six months' pay for soldiers, sailors and marines, are relatives of service men who have made the supreme sacrifice.

This fact is being brought out in letters and in communications from organizations many of whose members are numbered with the American dead in France.

With well over 100,000 signers the petition has received the further endorsement of the Boston Clothing Cutters and Trimmers' Union and of Marlboro and Southbridge organizations.

Writing of the endorsement of the Clothing Cutters and trimmers, John J. Hayes says the unanimous endorsement of the organization, which numbers 525 members, was given at a meeting in which 150 members were present.

SOUTHBRIDGE GIVES SUPPORT.

Heading the list of 418 signers in Southbridge is Selectman Daniel T. Merrill. These names were forwarded by Mrs. Elizabeth Wardle, who is doing patriotic work in securing the signatures of her acquaintances among the townspeople.

In East Boston the petition was heartily and unanimously indorsed by the Major B. J. Sandy Clarke of the United Spanish War Veterans. A committee was appointed at the same meeting to assist the veterans of the great war to initiate and perfect an organization of veterans of the great war.

In Marlboro 100 signatures came from the "Smoke Shop" controlled by a communication praising the American for being first in the things of chief interest to the public.

"The enclosed signatures express the great interest of the customers in reading the Boston American," the letter stated. "We have particularly noticed that your fine hand war news during the anxious days was always corroborated by other papers.

"We also take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in the welfare of all our boys. Two of the persons who have made the enclosed have brothers who have made the supreme sacrifice to make all people free."

Many other letters tell the same sad story of a son or brother lost, and reveal the unselfishness which actuates the writer in seeking to obtain for those who survived the battle which would have been shared by the soldier had he lived.

LATEST NEWS FURNISHED.

The Soldiers' Service Bureau of the American, which is pledged to help the soldiers, sailors and marines in the usual other ways, is constantly receiving all the latest information issued from the governmental departments at Washington through the Washington headquarters.

Official information pertaining to the location of units, the release of prisoners from German prison camps, the various units now mail for the United States and the ships to which they will be assigned are only a few of the things that nearly every day brings.

The latest information pertaining to courtmartial and men in service hitherto reported missing or wounded, and information pertaining to allotments and allowances is also frequently received.

In addition to find work for discharged service men is also meeting with encouragement, and promises of co-operation from prominent business concerns and manufacturers, superintendent John L. Dwight of the American Sugar Refining Co. declares that in this department the American is doing a wonderful work.

He writes concerning the plans of the company in taking care of its returning employes:

"Boston American

"Gentlemen—Your letter of recent date received and we have read the same over carefully.

"In reply will say that from this refinery we had 103 men in the service during the war and we have written to each one of these men promising him the old position back again as soon as he is released from the particular branch of the service. In fact, we have already placed a great many of these men and quite a few are coming back to work every day.

"The department is not merely operated as a question and answer system. It is co-operating with similar departments in Hearst's New York American, Chicago Examiner, Atlanta Georgian, San Francisco Examiner and Los Angeles Examiner. The headquarters is in Washington.

Attorneys will answer questions of a legal nature and undertake many about to begin work in the courts for officers and enlisted men in behalf of the Boston American and its associated Hearst newspapers.

Please write any suggestion you have for widening the activities of the department.

Address all communications to Soldiers' Service Bureau, Boston American, No. 10 Summer street, Boston.

Persons finding the discharge papers of soldiers or sailors should make every effort to return them to their owners. A discharge paper cannot be duplicated. The War Department can only issue a certificate that the discharge has been given. Frequently the owner loses his original, and would greatly appreciate its return.

V. S. FLORENCE—The 321st F. A. is not in the Army of Occupation. It was last reported at Camp Mills. It has not been designated for early convoy.

M. T. DORCHESTER—The 6th Engineers is in France, some port of embarkation awaiting early convoy.

A WAITING MOTHER—The 334th Regiment F. A. is in the 87th Division. It has been designated for early convoy.

NEW BEDFORD MOTHER—The 80th Regiment F. A. is in the 7th Division, Army of Occupation, Germany.

ANXIOUS AUNT—The 26th Regiment Engineers is not in any division. It has not been ordered home.

M. A. M., BOSTON—The 4th Regiment Engineers is in the 4th Division, Army of Occupation, Germany. It has not been designated for early convoy.

A. B. H., MALDEN—The 102d Regiment, F. A. is in the 26th Division, Army of occupation, Germany.

S. M. R., BOSTON—The 25th Regiment of Engineers is attached to the 1st Army. It has not been assigned for early convoy.

AN ANXIOUS MOTHER, ARLINGTON—The Supply Company, 327th Infantry, was last reported at Brantvoy. It has not been designated for early convoy.

GRADUATE—The 306th Regiment, C. A. C., was last reported at La Trede. It has been assigned for early convoy.

LONGSOME SISTER—The 367th Aero Squadron has not been designated for early convoy.

M. C. R. J. P.—The 102d Balloon Company is now at a port of embarkation awaiting early convoy.

F. C. S., DORCHESTER—Your brother is probably in the 76th Division, which has been skeletonized, preparatory for early convoy. Part of the 324th M. G. Battalion landed in New York in January, from the Wilhelmina. The rest will follow soon. The 54th C. A. C. was last reported in Angers. It has been ordered home. The 6th Regiment of Marines is in the 2d Division, Army of Occupation. It will not return for some time.

H. E. T., WATERTOWN—A large detachment of the 26th Engineers is on the way home. The rest is to follow later.

W. P., PROVIDENCE—The 25th Laundry Unit was last reported at Meuvres-sur-Loire. It has not been ordered home.

ANXIOUSLY WAITING—The 26th Machine Gun Battalion is in the 6th Division, last reported at Alsey. It has not been assigned for early convoy. It is not in the Army of Occupation.

A SOLDIER'S FRIEND—The 51st Regiment, C. A. C., has already landed in this country. It is now quartered in Camp Mills, then to Fort Hamilton, and finally to Fort Ellsworth.

AN ANXIOUS MOTHER, BOSTON—General Headquarters, Military Police, landed in New York January 24, on the Geo. G. W. Goethals.

AN ANXIOUS MOTHER, CAMBRIDGE—Part of the 40th Engineers landed in New York on the Goetner. The rest due soon.

WALTHAM—The 490th Aero Squadron landed in New York January 24, thence to Camp Meade.

SISTER ANNA—The 304th Supply Train is in the 76th Division, which has been skeletonized, preparatory for early convoy.

H. H., BOSTON—The 85th Division was last reported at Toul. It has not been assigned for early convoy.

AN ANXIOUS SISTER—Company D, 324 Engineers, was last reported at Brest. It has not been designated for early convoy.

M. METHUEN, MASS.—The 5d Pioneer Infantry is in the Army of Occupation. Your son is not due to arrive home for some time, or at least for a few months.

MRS. M. L. D., NEW BEDFORD—The 23rd F. A. (Battery F), is in the Army of Occupation. Your other question relative to financial matters has been referred to our legal department for disposition.

SOLDIER'S WIFE—Base Hospital No. 45 was last reported at Allery, France. If your husband has been sent to this point for treatment for wounds received, he may return on an early convoy, or remain to return with his company.

ANXIOUS SISTER, BOSTON—It has not been announced when Company A, 116th Supply Train will be assigned for convoy.

Hayes' Healing Honey

Stops the Tickle, Heals the Throat and Lungs. Coughs, Colds, Flue and Bronchitis. Use HAYES' HEALING HONEY for these Colds. Buy from your Druggist or Grocer and get relief. 25c.

Petition to the Secretary of War and Secretary of the Navy to Send Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Home with Six Months' Pay

Sign this petition, get your friends to sign it, and forward it to the Boston American, 80 Summer st., Boston, Mass.

To the Honorable Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War;
To the Honorable Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy;

The undersigned respectfully urge you to return to their homes as soon as possible the soldiers, sailors and marines who have accomplished so brilliantly every object America had in the war.

We urge, also, that you obtain the necessary authority to pay these men their military wages for six months, or for some sufficient period after their discharge from the army until they can obtain useful and remunerative employment.

We urge this as an act of simple justice by a nation to its heroes.

(Signed)

Paste a sheet of paper on this for additional signatures.

DENOUNCE PLAN TO 'HECKLE' WILSON

Continued from First Page.

ation. "I am most heartily opposed to any such demonstration as you tell me is planned. If there is any demonstration at all, it should be one of appreciation and gratitude for what the President has accomplished in the cause of peace and justice."

LEADERS DEPLORE PLAN.

Mrs. Wenona Osborne Fishburn, executive secretary of the Boston Equal Suffrage Association, said:

"I am entirely out of sympathy with any demonstration or any attempt to make trouble. I believe that the President has done everything in his power to bring woman suffrage to pass, and only asserting that he can do everything in its power to make his visit here as pleasant as possible."

Margaret Foley, prominent speaker of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association, said:

"I think it will be a great mistake if the militant suffragists take any hand in the Wilson demonstration, because they do not represent either the women of Massachusetts or the delegates of this State. Their branch is small and weak here, and it would be a great pity if the President got the impression that they represent the women of Massachusetts.

"As a matter of fact, if the National Woman's party stages a demonstration, it will probably be directed from Washington. The Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association and allied organizations will do not include the National Woman's party, save as we have done nothing with it. The National Woman's party on the other hand has been merely destructive. For them to greet the President here with banners denouncing his policies, is very foolish. Their activities are never rounded for anything in this State, and it would give a very false impression if they forced themselves into prominence on this occasion."

AWAIT FORMAL APPROVAL.

Opinions expressed by suffragists opposed to the militant tactics of the National Woman's party, that any demonstration by the latter would probably be directed from Washington, were amplified by Mrs. Alice H. Morey of Brookline, chairman of the Massachusetts branch of the organization.

Asked whether the party would carry through its plans in the face of possible opposition by the police, Mrs. Morey replied:

"I cannot speak for the National Woman's Party because I have not yet received word from Washington. I cannot understand the delay, as I should have heard before this. Any demonstration that might take place would not, of course, be merely a State, but a national affair, with representatives from different States. Until we get word from Washington we cannot formulate any course of action.

"I shall call a meeting tomorrow to discuss the matter. Further than this I cannot speak."

Whirlwind of Welcome Planned for Heroes of the 26th Division

Everywhere there will be whirlwind receptions and patriotic decorations in honor of the heroes of the 26th Division when they reach Boston about March 1.

Everything is in readiness for them at Camp Devens and officers there say the 26th can be delivered there as a unit.

Boston will be decorated and decked out in holiday attire as never before, according to information given out by members of the decoration committee of the Boston city reception committee for returning soldiers, sailors and marines.

PORTLAND ORGANIZING.

Not only will the waterfront be gorgeously decorated with flags and bunting, but the North and South Stations and the avenues and streets over which the 26th Division will march will be fittingly adorned with colors, standards, banners, bunting and pennants. Work on the South and North Stations has already been started and during the coming week Commonwealth Pier will be trimmed with flags and bunting.

Under Major Clarke, Portland has been organizing its committees to receive the homecoming boys of the 26th.

Mayor Verrette of Manchester, N. H., declared that the Aldermen and Councilmen of that city have committed for the single purpose of turning Manchester into a city of welcome.

Mayor Mitchell of Montpelier, Vt., says:

CAN HAVE EVERYTHING.

"We are going to give them a reception and very probably a banquet. That will be received at the City Hall, where every kind of detail has been attended to by the Public Safety Committee of Montpelier, of which, by virtue of my office, I am chairman.

"We'll give them everything we've got," declared Mayor Fitzgerald of New Haven, when asked what New Haven intended to do for the 102d Infantry when it returned.

G. O. P. State Chairman Says Partisanship Appears in Plans to Greet President

Frank B. Hall, chairman of the Republican State Committee, in a statement today protests against what he terms "the injection of partisanship into the reception to President Wilson." The objection is based on the appropriation of $2,000 made by the Democratic Club of Massachusetts and the appointment of a committee by the club to take part in the reception to the President on his visit to Boston.

"We can trust Governor Coolidge and Mayor Peters to appoint reception committees representative of the entire citizenship," Chairman Hall says. "There is no need for the appearance of political organizations on this occasion."

HOUSE DECIDES VOTING MACHINES ARE LEGAL

Washington, Feb. 17.—Voting machines are legal. The House rules committee so ruled today in announcing a decision in the contest of the re-election to Congress of Thomas B. Dunn, of Rochester, N. Y., filed by Jacob Gerling of Rochester, Dunn's opponent. Gerling contends that the use of voting machines was a violation of the constitutional provision for secret ballot. The House rules committee sustained the legality of voting machines, and the committee's report was adopted by the House today.

2,550,000 Favor Six Months' Pay for Our Soldiers

New York, Feb. 16.—The petitions now being circulated by the Hearst papers asking Congress to give six months' extra pay to every discharged service man have been signed by 2,550,000 persons to date.

Franklin Local No. 23 of the International Printing Pressmen's Union is on record today as unanimously favoring the petition. In announcing the pressmen's vote, John P. Mines, vice president of the New York State Allied Printing Trades, said:

"I want to say that the principles and purposes of these resolutions were prompted solely by the noble and patriotic campaign inaugurated by the Hearst newspapers."

NINE STRIKERS ARRESTED IN LAWRENCE

Continued from First Page.

court today. Two girls, both minors, were turned over to the Juvenile Court. They are Lucy Soloyia, fifteen, and Concettia Rieluzia, sixteen, both charged with intimidation.

Four women were fined twenty dollars each on charges of intimidation during picketing at the Wood Pacific Mills. Their names are Josephine Marchese, Mary Rhodonia, Carlatina Bargagnone and Philomena Rizzo.

Joseph Dominici of Methuen was given a year in jail for assault on the Arlington Mills. Tony Vernile, charge of carrying a loaded weapon, paid twenty dollars' costs and the case of Joseph Risso, charged with intimidation, was continued.

CONNOLLY STILL SILENT.

The absence of Thomas G. Connolly of Boston, counsel for the strikers, was once more emphasized today when the defendants appeared in court. He was advised by strike leaders that Mr. Connolly was ill at his Boston home and that messages were sent to him to send another attorney for the striking operatives. Mr. Connolly has not appeared here since Thursday, when he dismissed Henry J. Skeffington of Boston delivered his ultimatum threatening deportation of alien agitators.

As a result of the appeal sent to Boston, there was no payment urging support of the strikers, issued by three Boston men, the Rev. Frank R. Shipman appealed at the general strike committee meeting today. He is acting pastor of the Lawrence Street Congregational Church.

DENIES SYMPATHY.

He expressed himself as out of sympathy with the strike, although he declared that the signers of the appeal—A. J. Muste, H. L. Rotzel and Cedric Long were "fine men." The strikers today, he declared, and added that the best thing the "poor Lawrence boys" could do would be to go back to work.

The appeal in question admonished Protestant clergymen and the city that they were not popular with the mass and file of workers and urged them to change their attitude and support the strike.

The strikers today claimed contributions of $3,000, but did not substantiate the claim by showing cash.

Another disturbance broke out here today, when a street car carrying strikebreaking women passed the picket line. There were many strikers near, according to the police, who refused to halt, but a group of the passengers were "mine-stricken" when the stones crashed through the car windows.

TWO AUTO BANDITS ARE HELD IN BAIL OF $2,500

Benjamin De Prenio of Charles street, East Boston, and Howard Stuart of Dudley street, Roxbury, arrested following a gun battle between Reserve Officer Allen Swift and four auto bandits at an Eastman street garage, were arraigned in court today, charged with breaking and entering and the attempted larceny of an automobile from the garage of Gustave Thibeau on Shawmut avenue. Both men pleaded not guilty and were held in $2,500 for superior Court. The trial was arranged on complaint of Thibeau and Sergeant Daniel Hines of the Dudley Street Station. The police allege that prior to the attempted larceny and gun battle, De Prenio and Stuart entered the garage of Thibeau and were making off with a machine when scared off by the proprietor.

ALL yes, ALL of our hundreds of bargains daily

Filene's Automatic Bargain Basement

are subject to the automatic rule

the automatic rule

Everything here must sell quickly at its first price or be reduced ¼ after 12 selling days, ¼ after 18 selling days, ½ after 24 selling days. If any goods remain after 30 selling days they'll be given away.

one of Monday's many automatic reductions

16 FUR-TRIMMED VELVETEEN SUITS. Black or navy silk lined; sizes 16 and 38. automatically reduced ¼ from $17.50 to $13.12

just 127 girls'

coats

some slightly imperfect

$2

Such small imperfections that they will not hurt the wearing qualities of these good coats, mostly of plush, some boucle, corduroy or cheviot. All are fully lined and trimmed with fancy buttons. Good selection of colors. Sizes mostly 7 to 12, but all sizes 3 to 14 in one material or another.

girls' wool cheviot coats

Good looking model, with belt, novelty pockets and collar trimmed with beaver plush; fully lined. Navy only. Sizes 8 to 14 years. $3.95

girls' and intermediate girls' coats

Cheviot or mercerized plushes, made in several models, including a military model—some have large collars of beaver plush, others trimmed with coney fur. Good colors. Sizes 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 14, one style or another. $5.75

Saturday, without advertising them, we sold 250 georgette waists at $3.95

That shows how good they were, and that, if the 250 women who bought them hadn't "walked through" Saturday, the 2 have missed them. There'll be sold over a hundred more, just as good, same price, Tuesday. Remember, there are hundreds of unadvertised bargains here daily—so walk through!

2000 pairs of mostly perfect some seconds **RUBBERS** for women, misses, girls and children

Women's rub sers, with or dium, low or high heels; sizes 2½ to 7.

48c

Misses' and children's sizes 8½ to 11 and 11½ to 2.

48c 48c

hundreds of other bargain lots

SPECIAL OFFER

THIS WEEK

AMERICA'S GREATEST RAILROAD TIMEKEEPERS

HAMILTON —AND— **ILLINOIS** WATCHES

We Deliver the Goods to You on First Payment

50¢

Down and $1.00 a Week

THESE WATCHES HAVE 17 FINE JEWELS AND ARE ADJUSTED IN GUARANTEED 20-YEAR GOLD FILLED CASES MONEY REFUNDED IF YOU CAN BUY THEM ELSEWHERE CHEAPER FOR CASH

Only One Sold to a Customer

LENOX JEWELRY CO.

373 Washington St., Boston

OPEN DAILY UNTIL 5:30, SATURDAYS 8 P. M. Fifth Floor, Jewelers Bldg.

Jordan Marsh Company

Our Permanent Guarantees

We Guarantee the price of everything we sell to be as low as, and in many instances lower than, the same article can be bought elsewhere in New England.

We Guarantee the qualities and values of our merchandise in every case to be fully as good as, and in many instances better than, can be found in any other New England store.

NOTE—These guarantees are **not new**—they are as **old** as the business itself. Our care in applying them is as scrupulous as it is possible to make it. If, as sometimes happens in spite of the utmost care, a case occurs which has eluded our vigilance, **we would thank our patrons to call our attention to same, and the necessary correction will be immediately made.**

Jordan Marsh Company

JORDAN MARSH COMPANY

Sterling Silver Veil Pins

1.00

We have a limited number of these dainty little Veil Pins to sell at this exceptionally low price. The pins are Sterling Silver, cleverly set with rhinestones, and are in several different styles. They fasten the veil securely in front, and add the final touch of smartness and newness to Milady's spring hat and veil.

Jordan Marsh Company

CHARGES HUNDREDS OF LIVES SACRIFICED IN ARGONNE CAMPAIGN

FOOD, GUNS, AIRPLANES LACKING

Gov. Allen of Kansas Tells Congressmen He Was Eyewitness of Mismanagement

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Charges that German aeroplanes dominated the air and that American artillery fell so short in the battle of the Argonne that it cost the lives of our own troops were reiterated today by Governor Henry Allen of Kansas before the House Rules Committee. He elaborated the story with details and charged that there was "general inefficiency" in the army organization of supply in the American expeditionary force.

Governor Allen was urging the committee to adopt a special rule on the resolution of Representative Campbell of Kansas, for a congressional investigation. He was asked by Chairman Poat to give the names of the information, but declined to do so, saying some of them still are in the service. He offered, however, to give the names to members of the committee privately.

The Governor was in charge of Y. M. C. A. work with the 25th Division, made up largely of Kansas troops, and declared he had not only hearsay evidence, but personal knowledge of many of the things concerning which he testified.

He said that although the campaign in the Argonne was planned for four months the men were poorly clad; some of them with their feet on the ground and most of them wearing their Summer underwear. "The campaign opened early in October and lasted five months and six days.

"Authors of the half-billion-dollar aeroplane debacle may reflect with shame upon the 1,700 Kansas troops who fell dead in the fighting improperly supported by either airplanes or heavy guns," said Governor Allen.

"One message from the front read 'for God's sake send us some ammunition and food.' The answer went back: 'We can do nothing. Roads blocked.'"

FIREMEN ESCORT OF 16 FOR STEVENS FUNERAL

A funeral escort of sixteen firemen, in charge of Deputy Chief Henry A. Fox, will attend the funeral services of Ladderman Thomas J. Stevens of Ladder District No. 11, Brighton, who died of injuries received while responding to an alarm of fire last week. The services will be held from his late residence, No. 667 Washington street, Brighton, tomorrow morning, followed by a requiem high mass which is to be celebrated at the Church of Our Lady of Presentation, Oak square. Interment will take place at St. Joseph's cemetery.

CALLS ON U. S. TO DEMAND FREEDOM FOR IRELAND

Passaic, N. J., Feb. 17.—Ireland is more persecuted under English rule than was Alsace-Lorraine under forty years of German domination, or Poland under 150 years of warfare, according to Justice Daniel F. Cohalan, of New York. Addressing a meeting, Justice Cohalan said: "No power in the world except the United States has the power to make England and to go her hold on Ireland, and it is time for people here to demand the justice for Ireland that they have demanded for Alsace-Lorraine and other oppressed peoples."

LOOKS INTO SOCIAL CONDITIONS OF TROOPS

London, Feb. 17.—Mrs. George E. Vincent, wife of the Rockefeller Foundation head, has started an investigation in England and France of the social conditions affecting the American soldiers. Reports will be submitted to the United States government with recommendations for legislation bearing upon the demobilization.

ICE FAMINE AND BIG BUDGET IN WAKEFIELD

Outside of threatened ice famine and an unprecedented town warrant calling for hundreds of thousands in appropriations, there is not much "doing" in Wakefield. In the election of town officers there is no contest for selectmen, the five candidates having no opposition. The ice crop, which usually totals 100,000 tons, is a minus quantity to date. Several large ice companies on the shore of Lake Quannapowitt have empty houses.

WOUNDED SOLDIER IS BACK IN NORTH ADAMS

North Adams, Feb. 17.—Private Arthur Moreau of M Company, 104th Infantry, who was severely wounded in both hips at the second battle of the Marne last July, has returned to his home in this city.

FREE OUR POLITICAL PRISONERS!
PUBLIC MASS MEETING
Under the Auspices of the Committee on a Democratic Peace
TREMONT TEMPLE
TONIGHT, 8 P. M.
Speakers:
GILBERT ROE,
Attorney National Civil Liberties Bureau.
EVAN THOMAS,
Conscientious Objector, recently released from Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.
DR. JUDAH L. MAGNES,
Liberal Rabbi, New York City.
MUSIC AT 7:30
Doors Open at 7. Admission Free

MURPHY SWORN IN AS FIRE COMMISSIONER

Photo by INTERNATIONAL

John R. Murphy, new fire commissioner, and veterans in the service, photographed today in the fire commissioner's office. Seated at the desk is Mr. Murphy. The others are, left to right: John Grady, retiring commissioner; Daniel J. Quinn, James P. Maloney and Benjamin F. Underhill.

John R. Murphy, Boston's new fire commissioner, found out what fame is when he assumed office today. Despite the fact that Mr. Murphy, former chairman of the Finance Commission and well known politician, had been a fire commissioner before during the years 1894-1905, the attaches of the office at fire headquarters on Bristol street did not recognize him today.

Benjamin F. Underhill, one of the oldest clerks in the department, chanced to perceive him first and bid him welcome.

Awaiting the new commissioner in his commissioner's room, however, was retiring Chief John Grady, who was ready to greet his successor.

GREETS NEWSPAPER MEN.

After a few moments' conversation with Mr. Grady, the new commissioner welcomed the newspaper men and photographers, and posed for his picture with the retiring commissioner and also with several of the oldest members of the office staff.

"I have come into the department with no prejudice against any man or men. My mind is absolutely free as regards the various important problems that are being considered by the department at the present time," was the official statement made by Commissioner Murphy to the newspaper men.

"I take up the position of fire commissioner without any policy except that of doing my duty," he continued. "There is no first 'official act,' only attending to routine business of the department.

"Action in regard to the solution of some of the problems of the department, he said:

"The high pressure system should be installed as soon as possible. It should be completed, with the proper station of stations. The Mayor in his inaugural has recommended the high pressure system. There are a number of things to be considered in solving the installation of the system. First, it must be located in a section that it will itself be safe from fire, and it must be located centrally enough to answer the purpose and also the expense of installing and maintaining must be considered.

"The two-platoon system in the department? That is a very large problem in itself.

MANY CONGRATULATIONS.

"I cannot express any opinion.

"As far as an increase in the firemen's salaries is concerned, I am ready to furnish the Mayor with information and advice whenever asked. Just what the Mayor's attitude on the subject will be I do not know.

"I believe in a complete motorization of the department, tending to more efficiency. On the question of organization in the department, whenever it is carried out in reason, I see no objection to it."

The new commissioner was sworn in at City Hall at 9 o'clock by City Clerk Donovan, after which he went directly to headquarters.

After his statement to the newspaper men Commissioner Murphy received the congratulations of many of the older members of the headquarters staff, including Benjamin F. Underhill, James P. Maloney and Daniel J. Quinn, George F. Murphy, one of the oldest members, is at present out of town.

Among the floral offerings received by the new commissioner was a basket from former City Messenger Alvah H. Peters and another from "J. A. C."

Police and Thief in Gun Battle at Candia, N. H.

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 17.—Police of this city and Candia, aided by a posse of citizens from the latter place, engaged in a running fire battle with a thief who had looted the Ewing farm in Candia today. Deputy Crosson, of Candia, fell early in the battle, a victim of shell shock.

A Candia farmer was passing the Ewing farm when he noticed a horse and carriage. A man and woman were piling stuff into it. So he notified Deputy Crosson. Silverware, linen and in fact everything of value in the house had been placed on the team. Crosson placed his hand on the man's arm and as he did the latter fired a rifle. The bullet passed the deputy and the report and concussion knocked him flat, a shell shock victim. The man and woman jumped aboard the team and were off.

CHARGED WITH SLAYING EAST BOSTON MAN

Following the death today of Giovanni De Simone of East Boston from a bullet wound in his forehead, Salvatore Ianella, forty-three, of No. 279 Border street, was charged with murder in the East Boston court. His wife, Bertha, and his brother Frank are held as material witnesses.

De Simone died at the East Boston Relief Station. He was twenty-seven and lived at No. 2 Paris court.

The shooting took place last night. Besides Ianella, another man was arrested today whose name the police refused to give out.

The police were first notified of the affray by a woman whose name also they withheld, and who told Lieutenant Hyland of the East Boston police station that a man had been shot in her apartment.

The quarrel is believed to have been over a woman. When found, De Simone was fully clothed, even to his overcoat. The woman told conflicting stories and is said to have been previously known to the police.

De Simone was married and had four small children.

REV. EDWARD REYNOLDS OF BELLOWS FALLS, VT., DEAD

Bellows Falls, Vt., Feb. 17.—The Rev. Edward Reynolds, sixty-seven, formerly rector of St. Charles Roman Catholic Church, is dead at his home here after several years' illness. He was born in County Cavan, Ireland. He came from college to Bellows Falls in January, 1882, and filled the position of curate of St. Charles Church for one year, later becoming rector, which position he held until November, 1913, when he resigned on account of ill health.

He was later chaplain of the Catholic Orphanage at Burlington, Vt., but was compelled to give up his duties there after a brief service.

SOUTH BOSTON SERVICE PARADE ON MARCH 17

Members of the South Boston Citizens' Association announce that the 101st Infantry and all soldiers and sailors of South Boston who were in the service during the war will parade in South Boston on the 17th of March and will be given a big reception. It is believed that a sufficient appropriation for the affair will be made by Mayor Peters and the City Council.

SPECIAL NOTICE
BELL-ANS INDIGESTION 25 CENTS
6 BELL-ANS Hot Water Sure Relief
BELL-ANS FOR INDIGESTION

$10,000 and Auto Are Left to Woman by Man She Rejected

Providence, Feb. 17.—"I shall never marry another woman." Charles Wallace told the sweetheart of his boyhood, Miss Nancy Butler, when she broke off their engagement in New Bedford many years ago.

Miss Butler soon after moved to Providence, where she was twice married, being now Mrs. Nancy Irving of No. 203 Hanover street.

A few days ago two men called on her and notified her that Wallace had died in Manchester, N. H., a wealthy bachelor, and that in his will he had made a bequest of $10,000 and his auto to the woman he had loved in his youth.

"I was a little older than Charley," she explained, "and the thought came to me that naturally a woman ages faster than a man and that the time might come when regrets might be entertained.

"I put the matter up to Charley as well as I could, and, despite his protests, the match was broken. He declared that he would never marry any other woman."

GLAD TO SEE HUSBAND FROM WHOM SHE FLED

North Adams, Feb. 17.—Glad to see the husband from whom she ran away a month ago, Mrs. Arthur Raus, of New York, was arrested here today as she stepped from a north-bound train. She acted strangely and was unable to give an account of herself during the month she has been missing. When her husband arrived she greeted him hopefully. Mr. Raus, who is a prominent New Yorker, will take his wife back to their home on 56th street. She is the mother of several children.

MONTH'S SENTENCE FOR ANNOYING YOUNG WOMAN

Charged with accosting and annoying Ruth De Cheze, a pretty employe of the United Drug Company, George W. Connell of Tremont street, Roxbury, was given a month in the House of Correction by Judge Hayden in the Roxbury court today. Last month Connell was suspended sentence and placed Connell on probation for six months. Miss De Cheze told the court that Connell had frequently annoyed her while on her way to work.

HELD IN $10,000 FOR ATTACKING WOMAN

Edward Guion, twenty-two, who lives on Windsor street, was held for the grand jury in $10,000 by Judge Hayden in the Roxbury court today on the charge of attacking Mrs. Nora Murray of No. 29 Field street, Roxbury, with the intent to rob her. The assault occurred on January 29 when Guion, it is alleged, with three others, struck Mrs. Murray with a club and took away her purse. Guion denied any connection with the affair.

P. O. WARNS AGAINST CANCELLED STAMPS

Washington, Feb. 18.—When you ship moving films, eggs, farm products and other fourth-class matter through the mails be sure that the cartons, boxes and other containers do not bear any cancelled postage, special delivery or revenue stamps. The Postoffice Department today instructed postmasters not to accept such packages if the cancelled stamps have not been removed.

THIEF GETS $300 BONDS FROM INSIDE POCKET

While at the corner of Huntington avenue and Massachusetts avenue a man, whose identity the police withheld to save him embarrassment, was relieved of three $100 Liberty Bonds and $25. He had the bonds in an inside vest pocket.

MONTREAL WORKERS WIN A 44-HOUR WEEK

Montreal, Feb. 17.—The clothing and garment workers have been granted a forty-four-hour week.

NEGRO "BUFFALOES" HOME FROM FRANCE

New York, Feb. 17.—New York's famous "Buffaloes," the negro fighters of the 369th Infantry, returned today on the Rotterdam from Brest, France, 1,500 strong. The "Buffaloes" went to Europe last June, and took part in some of the fiercest fighting on several fronts. They first saw action in the Vosges mountains last August. Then they were shifted to the Argonne front, and when the armistice was signed they were "going strong" on the banks of the Moselle River.

FIRE ROUTS MELROSE FAMILY FROM BED

Fire in the home of Robert M. Colbert of No. 9 Hawes avenue, Melrose, drove Colbert, his wife, mother and four children into the near-zero weather early today. They were awakened by dense smoke and were obliged to flee to the street in scant clothing. The fire, caused by a defective chimney, did damage amounting to $5,000.

HEROES GIVEN WAR CROSSES ON COMMON

Presentation by Gen. Edwards as Big Crowd Cheers Approval

A large throng on Boston Common today at noon witnessed the presentation of Distinguished Service Crosses to Lieutenant Paul H. Hines, a Boston newspaper man, and Sergeant Benjamin James. In addition, Antone Dilboy of Somerville was the recipient of the U. S. Medal of Honor given by Congress posthumously to George Dilboy, his son.

The presentations were made by Major-General Clarence R. Edwards amid the cheers of hundreds of admiring spectators.

Lieutenant Hines received the Distinguished Service Cross from his former commanding general for exceptional bravery under artillery and machine gun fire on Sept. 25 on the French front. He has already been awarded the French Croix de Guerre in connection with the same incident. Lieutenant Hines and two stretcher bearers crossed a machine-gun-swept field in the face of apparently certain death and brought back to safety a brother officer who had been wounded while in command of a detail of 1604 men, which had been cut off from their comrades.

Sergeant James is the former president of the Brookline Swimming Club. His citation reads in part:

"When a shell struck the gunsilt of the battery, although severely wounded in the chest and legs, by fragments, he immediately obtained stretchers for the other men, doing everything possible for their comfort until he fell. He declined medical attention until all others had been looked after, setting a splendid example of self-sacrifice."

RECEIVES DEAD SON'S MEDAL.

"Your boy was born in Turkey. Like you he spoke the Greek language, but when he came to this country he became a true American. You taught him the love of America and how he was ready to die for it. You told him not to come back without the shield, or dead upon it, it," said General Edwards as he placed the medal of honor upon the breast of Mr. Dilboy, for his son George, who was killed in action near Belleau Fresco.

Continuing his address, General Edwards said:

"To you, Mr. Antone Dilboy, I offer my congratulations. To you, comrades of the comrades—yes, the buddies—of your splendid son, and the congratulations of the people of the United States for your son's gallant and heroic acts in battle.

To Lieutenant Hines, General Edwards said:

"To you, Lieutenant Hines, my personal as well as official thanks and obligations are extended. You did a splendid job and told the people of where others have failed. I was an eyewitness of your heroism throughout the day."

WOUNDED MEN PRESENT.

To Sergeant James he said: "I remember my anxiety and that of the United States hovered between me and death in the hospital from desperate wounds and how we rejoiced at your recovery because you had done so magnificent a thing that you "earned the record that is yours. The country is proud of you."

The citations were read by Colonel Albert S. Williams, chief of staff of the Northeastern Department. Brigadier-General John W. Ruckman, commanding the North Atlantic coast artillery district, had charge of the ceremonies.

Four companies of the Thirty-sixth Infantry, making one battalion of the provost guard, were present. The music was furnished by the Coast Artillery Band from Fort Warren.

From Base Hospital No. 10 came four U. S. wounded men, who are convalescing. They belong to the Twenty-sixth Division and have returned recently from France.

MAYOR TO MEET SOLONS ONE DAY EACH WEEK

Mayor Peters, in reply to a letter received from Representative Thomas A. Niland of East Boston, relative to setting apart an afternoon each week for receiving Representatives and Senators from the General Court, today sent Representative Niland the following: "I have received your letter relative to my setting apart one afternoon a week to meet Representatives and Senators of the General Court. I am very glad you wrote me, as I have had it in mind for some time to do this. Beginning Thursday, February 27, I shall reserve every Thursday of each week from 10:30 till 12:30 in the morning to meet members of the Legislature."

GARDINER, ME., MAN FIGHTS EXTRADITION

Augusta, Me., Feb. 17.—Governor Milliken today gave a hearing on the application for extradition papers for Charles F. Trask of Gardiner, who is under an indictment by the Norfolk County Court at Dedham, Mass., for the larceny of a diamond ring valued at $277.78 each from Dennis Donegan of Boston. Officers from the Dedham court are here to take him back. It is claimed by Trask the action is a ruse to get him back into Massachusetts to prosecute other charges against him. Governor Milliken took the matter under advisement.

CONTINUE LARCENY CASE IN CHARLESTOWN COURT

William Smicer, twenty, of Short Street place, Charlestown, was in Charlestown Court today, charged with assault and battery and larceny from Orin T. Shorey of Brighton street. It is alleged that Smicer is one of the three men who held up Shorey in Sullivan square and robbed him, of $27. The case was continued until February 25.

TODAY IN CONGRESS

Washington, Feb. 17.—Drastic punishment for those who urge overthrow of the government or resistance to law is provided for in a bill introduced in the Senate today by Senator Jones of Washington. After defining sedition, the bill provides punishment of five years in jail at hard labor or $5,000 fine, or both, for any person found guilty in the federal courts. In case the offender is an alien, he is to be deported at the end of his prison term.

Washington, Feb. 17.—That the House Interstate Commerce Committee will take no action during this session of Congress on the McAdoo plan for a five-year extension of government control of the railroads was definitely decided this afternoon, when the committee "tabled" the plan.

Washington, Feb. 17.—John Skelton Williams was compelled to defend in executive session his administration of the office of Comptroller of the Currency befoe the Senate Bankingr and Currency Committee today. He denied that he ever resorted to "terroristic methods" or that he issued unfair ries.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Final action on the pending army appropriation bill was again delayed in the House this afternoon, when it was decided to first take up the unanimous consent calendar before resuming consideration of the proposed temporary army.

GIRL CAUGHT IN RAID TAKES POISON

Three Others in Waltham Vice Crusade Have Their Cases Continued in Court

Agnes Mitchell, who was taken during a raid by Waltham officers at the house of Mrs. Claire Perkins, on Moody street, about two weeks ago, in which two sailors and another young woman were arrested, and each fined $30, today attempted suicide by swallowing the contents of a bottle of poison. She was rushed to the Waltham Hospital, where it is reported she will recover. Their cases were continued in court to February 25.

Clinton E. Reed, 19, and Gladys Smith, also 19, both of St. Johnsbury, Vt., who were arrested by the same officers in a raid on another house on Moody street, pleaded not guilty, were found guilty and their cases continued till February 25.

The raids are the result of a vice crusade in which City Manager Clarence A. Bingham of Waltham has been actively interested.

SHIPPING JOBS OPEN FOR 1,500 MONTHLY

Washington, Feb. 17.—The United States Shipping Board will be able to place 1,500 husky young Americans monthly at firing boilers on new ships of the merchant marine. Men accepted for the service will be placed on training ships at thirty dollars a month for thirty days, and will then be sent on deep-water voyages at forty-five dollars a month. Uniforms and board will be furnished. As an inducement to young men to enter the service, Chairman Hurley says voyages will be varied so they may see as much of the world as possible. Discharged soldiers and naval reservists are especially desired for this service.

SAYS HUSBAND CALLED HER 'HOMELY'

Mrs. Chaplin of Somerville in Divorce Court Denies Menacing Him With Knife

"I've got someone who is crazy to get my meals; she's younger and better looking than you. You are old and homely. She's got better blood than you and can hold her head higher."

This was the statement made by Joseph W. Chaplin of Somerville, according to his wife Alice, who testified today at the continuation of the divorce proceedings brought by Chaplin in the divorce session of the Cambridge Court.

Mrs. Chaplin denied that she had ever stood guard at the door of her husband's room with a carving knife in her hand and that when he remonstrated tickled him under the chin. She further denied that on an occasion referred to by Chaplin she chased him with a screw driver.

Mrs. Chaplin declared that on one occasion when she told her husband he had twisted here arm and nearly broken it, Chaplin said: "I wish I had broken your neck, had you cremated and thrown your ashes into the Mystic River."

"I was hulling strawberries one day," Mrs. Chaplin declared, "and we got into an argument. I rapped on the table with the vegetable knife I was using and my husband immediately went into the next room and telephoned for the police. A policeman arrived and refused to arrest me. After the policeman had left I tried to leave the room and my husband kicked me."

The Chaplins have been married since 1892. Chaplain is a locomotive fireman on the Portland Division of the Boston & Maine railroad.

CREW OF LOST TUG BARELY ESCAPES

All But One Lifeboat of the Patience Disappeared With Vessel

Buzzards Bay, Feb. 17.—Captain J. Adams of the ocean-going tug Patience, sunk last night near Bird Island, told a vivid story today of the escape of himself and a crew of fourteen men. Her bottom punctured by a rock, the tug is now barely awash in Buzzards Bay near the island.

She was towing a string of empty barges from Philadelphia to Boston. A heavy northwest gale was blowing when she was struck. All the lifeboats but one had been lost overboard. This one had been so severely battened down the crew succeeded in freeing it in time to make their escape to one of the barges only by the narrowest margin.

Distress signals were sent up and the lighthouse keeper at Wings Neck notified the canal company, which sent out H. L. Colbeth at the head of a rescue party this morning.

The tug is owned by the Philadelphia & Reading Coal Company. She had discharged her pilot after passing through the Cape Cod Canal. The captain decided to anchore the barges and ride the storm out as the gale seemed too heavy for a safe crossing. While attempting to anchor he approached too near Bird Island, hitting a rock in the shoal water.

ASK AID FOR FRENCH SAILOR WHO LOST PURSE

A purse of seventy-one dollars was lost yesterday by Joseph Juiverge of the French ship Leoben somewhere between the Sailors' Haven in Charlestown, the canteen on the Common and Boston Theatre. Juiverge is buyer for the crew and the money was intrusted to his care to pay for supplies for the coming week. Mrs. Carrie F. Sheehan and Mrs. Laura A. Murray of the Charlestown canteen extend an appeal on behalf of the sailor for funds to make up the money this is done. Juiverge will be compelled to stay in the navy another year to make things even.

BENZYL ALCOHOL NEW LOCAL ANAESTHETIC

Baltimore, Feb. 17.—Dr. David I. Macht tasted benzyl alcohol in an experiment, found his tongue hard and numb and became thereby a discoverer. He now uses benzyl alcohol as a local anaesthetic instead of cocaine. It is a drug, but not "dope," and is said to be less toxic than cocaine. Dr. Macht is a member of the pharmacological department of Johns Hopkins University, which originally discovered that benzyl benzoate might be used instead of opium in certain cases.

MALDEN SEEKS SCHOOL TEACHERS IN MAINE

For the first time in years Malden is searching for public school teachers. In previous years there has been a waiting list. Superintendent Marshall left today for Maine to secure recruits.

Try this—
When a change from coffee seems desirable —for any reason— and you want to get your money's worth in satisfaction,
—buy a tin of
INSTANT POSTUM
Every year more people drink Postum. *Why?*
Try it yourself; *you'll* find
"There's a Reason"

DR. DILLON SEES IN LEAGUE WAY OUT FOR WORLD

CAPABLE OF SOLVING VEXED PROBLEMS, HE SAYS

By DR. E. J. DILLON.

Special Cable to the Boston American and Philadelphia Public Ledger.
(Copyright in the United States and Canada by the Philadelphia Ledger Company. Copyright in Europe by the London Daily Telegraph.)

Paris, Feb. 17.—At last the covenant of the League of Nations has been revealed to an expectant world under circumstances of a workaday character. President Wilson read to the delegates and to a dense throng of newspaper men, many of whom were standing on tables and holding on to each other and looking like swarming bees, the twenty-six clauses which he will take home to the United States as the basis on which the world union of the future is expected to repose. The fervid sympathies of all men of good will went out to the plenipotentiaries during their short sharp battle with the formidable obstacles in a way among which were their own deep-rooted national interests and traditional strivings. Everybody wished them success, for the world is weary of war and not merely anxious but determined to put an end to the reign of force in whatsoever form and under whatsoever pretexts it may attempt to reassert itself. The masses, who invariably contribute the cannon fodder and financial resources for war, are no longer ready to continue their contribution and insistently demanded that the delegates should acquiesce in Mr. Wilson's original proposals and organize the peoples of the world in a peace-loving society. They kept their own reforms and schemes in abeyance until the conference should utter the decisive word and today an idea, which has been floating th the air for centuries and which the philosopher Kant, followed by the Czar Alexander, sought to embody in political institutions, has been at last clad in a thin Anglo-Saxon vesture, which will shortly be subjected to tremendous wear and tear.

DR. E. J. DILLON

COVENANT A COMPROMISE.

It is safe to predict that the people's approval of the covenant will be moderate. For the result attained by the delegates while an American steamship was waiting off Brest for President Wilson is a compromise between two sets of conceptions diametrically opposed to each other, between nationalism with all its egotisms and other crudities and cosmopolitanism with its vagueness.

Of all forms of human association the League of Nations on a pacific basis if properly organized seems most capable of becoming a beneficent agency for the betterment of mankind, but it was doubtful wisdom to proclaim it to the world as the corner stone of a remodelled State system before certitude had been acquired that it would gain general acceptance. In statecraft the business of experts is to study the mental framework and moral fibre of the nations in order to ascertain their ripeness for the proposed sacrifices before committing themselves to a system which breaks the continuity of evolution.

The continental nations have every reason to fel grateful to the United States for becoming a party to a covenant which implies financial and perhaps ultimately military sacrifices the extent of which the most sagacious statesmen is unable to forecast. The circumstance that no State can qualify absolutely for membership but those having fulfilled the conditions and must also win a two-thirds vote of the existing members although doubtless warranted by the bitter experience of recent years, will challenge the criticism of many and may provoke the resentment of some. Europe is now passing through the most fearful crisis in its history which, before it reaches the culminating point may assume dangerous forms and extend the already vast field of toil appointed for the principal guardians of the world's peace.

A MOMENTOUS CONTRIBUTION.

The United States by spontaneously assuming the far-reaching responsibilities under these deterrent circumstances has given the world magnificent proof of generosity and unselfishness which calls for due appreciation. It is no slight service to twenty-two nations who are none too amicably disposed toward each other today nor contented with their frontiers to undertake to employ the resources of th United States to uphold the territorial status quo which the conference may think fit to establish without consulting some of the principal States concerned. This, in my way of thinking, is far and away the most momentous contribution to future world politics that one could have anticipated.

CREDIT DUE TO WILSON.

The outlines of the covenant which I sanked a few days ago have been confirmed by the text just published. As the Brazilian and other delegates proposed last week that the name by which the new alliance should be known be not the League of Nations, but the "League of States," but owing to Mr. Wilson's insistence the delegates withdrew the motion and the pristine name remains. It is almost superfluous to add that no vote has been yet taken on the subject and that the printed covenant is but a draft approved by the commission but not yet hall-marked by the conference.

Nor should it be forgotten that while laudably aiming at equality of nations and the abolition of force, it consecrates the principle of inequality as the Japanese delegates delicately hinted by their amendment and follows the principle of force to be employed against those nations which, discontented with their lot, may translate that discontent into action.

Three N. E. Men Get Hero Cross for Bravery

Washington, Feb. 17.—The following men have been awaded the distinguished service cross:

Lieutenant Arthur D. Budd, 318th Infantry, of Meriden, Ct., near Grandpre, France, October 31, 1918, who went through a barrage from one end of the line to the other to prepare for the expected counter-attack before returning to his post of command.

First Lieutenant Preston D. Fogg, 309th Infantry, of No. 46 Hobson street, Brighton, Mass., in an action near Champaigneulle, France, October 15, 1918, who, although himself wounded, carried to shelter another wounded officer who was unable to walk.

Private (First Class) Chauncey J. Griswold, Medical Detachment, 312th Infantry, A. S. No. 1750854, of No. 17 Cottage street, Dorchester, Mass., in action near Grandpre, France, October 16, 1918, who, although wounded, left his battalion, which was in support, and went forward to the front line, where he established a dressing station. He gave first aid to the wounded under constant shell fire and through frequent gas attacks.

WILSON TO TAKE UP WORK CRISIS ON RETURN

Washington, Feb. 17.—One of the first problems President Wilson will tackle when he gets home will be that of providing suitable jobs in civil life for America's fighting men, according to the belief of army officials. They say the President will return with much knowledge of this problem and what the European governments are doing to forestall the national unemployment with the demobilization of great armies.

Unemployment here, army men believe, is on the increase, and some sound and comprehensive program must be forthcoming soon, entirely different from merely granting the discharged soldiers a bonus of two months' pay as now under consideration. Two months' army pay, they point out, does not mean two months' subsistence as a civilian, with present costs of living.

The War Department, it is pointed out, is now taking on discharged soldiers versed in carpentering or other of the skilled trades, at regular union wages, but a great proportion of National Army men, it is admitted, cannot qualify as skilled artisans.

Not only is the army being demobilized, but the federal departments are stripping down to pre-war basis with a few exceptions.

Some 2,337 were dropped from the federal pay roll in January, it is announced.

ASK FOR and GET
Horlick's
The Original
Malted Milk
For Infants and Invalids
OTHERS are IMITATIONS

CONFERENCE TO RIGHT WRONGS OF THE PAST

Readjustments of Frontiers to Be Made in Accordance With National Aspirations

By RENE VIVIANI,
Former Premier of France.
(Written Especially for Universal Service.)

Special Cable Dispatch.

Paris, Feb. 17.—The territorial claims so far presented to the peace conference and examined by it all seem susceptible of a fair solution conforming with the aspirations of the peoples whose destinies are involved in these claims.

What will this solution be? Unless I am mistaken, it might be along the following lines:

Between the Poles and the Czecho-Slovaks the Teschen incident, which I described in detail recently, will lose its bitter character and the territory of the young Bohemian republic carved in the Austro-Hungarian mosaic will reach from Silesia to the Danube. It will comprise only populations that will be satisfied with their status.

The injustice done to Rumania in 1878 will be repaired. The kingdom will annex Bessarabia and complete its union with the Bukowina, Transylvania and the Rumanian portion of the Banat of Temesvar.

The Serbians, who despite the occupation by the enemy of their entire country never abandoned the struggle, will undoubtedly receive as a compensation, among other things the Serbian portion of the Banat which will shelter them from aggression such as victimized them in 1914.

Greece undoubtedly will succeed in reuniting under her flag the greatest number of her countrymen of whom have hitherto lived scattered outside the Greek frontiers, both in Asiatic and European Turkey.

Woman Spy Went to Her Death a la 'September Morn'

New York, Feb. 17.—How a beautiful Hungarian woman spy made a daring "gallery play" before the firing squad detailed to execute her, by revealing her beauty in the "altogether," is be-ing told here by Robert Nichols, a young British poet on sick leave. The story cropped up in connection with the exhibit of British war pictures among which are two portraits of Frieda Nieter.

The girl went to Belgium in the beginning of the war, and by her marvelous beauty completely subjugated French and Belgian officers. She evaded arrest for two years, although constantly under suspicion. At last she was caught and sentenced to be shot.

When the time came she was led to the courtyard, dressed in a magnificent blue velvet cloak trimmed with fur. Commanding the squad was an officer who had been her ardent admirer. Just before the command to fire the girl dropped her cloak, like Phryne of ancient Greece. The officer almost faltered, but gave the command, and the girl's mute appeal for clemency was a flasco. The squad fired and she fell dead.

CLINTON'S WELCOME TO HEROES MAY BE NOV. 11

Clinton, Feb. 17.—Clinton's committee to welcome home the town's veteran soldiers and sailors will probably recommend that the celebration be postponed until Nov. 11, "Armistice Day." In the meantime small social events will probably be held for such of the veterans as may be in town on the several holidays previous to that date, beginning with Patriots' Day.

PRISONER CREMATED WHEN JAIL IS BURNED

Harrisonburg, Va., Feb. 17.—O. J. Gilmartin, a Norfolk & Western railroad machinist who was imprisoned for intoxication in the jail at Shenandoah, twenty miles from here, was cremated when the jail burned to the ground.

ADMINISTRATION TO CAMPAIGN FOR LEAGUE

Leaders Only Wait Word from President to Put Question Before People

Washington, Feb. 17.—A propaganda campaign, in extent second only to that of a national political election, will be launched by the administration in support of the proposed constitution of the league of nations within a week of the arrival at Boston of President Wilson.

As a result of the invitation extended by the President to members of the Foreign Relations Committee and the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House to discuss with him the proposed international agreement, it is now clear that old guard Republican leaders will refrain from criticism of the plan.

Their action, it is said, is influenced by the thought that the plan is satisfactory to the people of the United States or the thought that no political benefit would accrue from such a manoeuvre.

It is equally clear, however, that the so-called "radical" wing of the Republican party is convinced that the plan will not meet with popular approval and are already outlining the arguments which they hope will lead public opinion to vote down the plan.

It is understood that some of the better known speakers of this group will deliver a series of public addresses and that Senator Borah may take the lead in the campaign.

Administration leaders now in Washington are eagerly awaiting word from the President for word as to securing adoption in this country of the league constitution.

Canadian Club Elects

The Canadian Club of Harvard has elected the following officers: Honorary president, Dr. Benjamin Rand; president, R. O. Thotier; vice-president, A. H. Richardson; secretary, G. E. Wilson, and treasurer, R. Davis.

Tremont Street Beacon Street
HOUGHTON & DUTTON Co
We Give and Redeem Legal and Profit-Sharing Stamps

Second and Last Week of the
Lockhart Mill-End SALE

Besides the stupendous array of bargains offered you will receive

DOUBLE STAMPS
Legal or Profit Sharing
ALL DAY TUESDAY

Most of the articles advertised in the Sunday papers, and many fresh, new lots, will be on sale.

Tomorrow's Specials

Final Clearance Winter Coats
Handsome Fur Trimmed or Plain Models

$25 Fur Trimmed Coats
$30 Wool Velour Coats
$25 Broadcloth Coats
$35 Novelty Burellas
Reduced to
$15

A most remarkable collection of fine, high-grade Winter coats—offering opportunities that represent the most drastic reductions of the year! Cutting into our higher-priced assortments—irrespective of cost or value!

Fine Fur Trimmed or Distinctively Plain Tailored Models—Sport Models

New shawl or adjustable collars, belted, semi-belted and loose back. Variety of distinctive plain tailored and luxuriously fur trimmed models. Silk lined and interlined.

No Charge for Alterations
At the New **Bedell** *Fashion Shop*
Washington Corner Bedford Street

Velvet

THE SMOOTHEST SMOKING TOBACCO

Time smoothes out the rough spots. You never find a squeak in an old pair of shoes, nor a bite in nature-aged tobacco.
Velvet Joe

Two long years of patient ageing in wooden hogsheads gives VELVET a mellow flavor, a cool smoothness, and the *natural* tobacco taste.

Of course, it's the expensive and the slow way, but it's the right way. Any VELVET smoker will back that up.

Over a hundred million tins of Velvet were smoked last year—and Velvet's friends are increasing daily.

Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.

Write to Velvet Joe, 4241 Folsom Avenue, St. Louis, Mo., for his 1919 Almanac. He will send it FREE.

15c

JUDGE PRAISES HEARST'S CURE FOR 'REDS'

Los Angeles, Feb. 16.—Emphasizing the seriousness of the situation that faces the nation because of the spread of Bolshevism, Federal Judge Benjamin F. Bledsoe, today amplified the warning he voiced at the demobilization of Four Minute Men and also gave enthusiastic indorsement to the views recently expressed by William Randolph Hearst, when the publisher declared the remedy for Bolshevism lay in removing the creative cause of the menace.

"It is impossible to estimate the great good that has been accomplished by the stand taken by Mr. Hearst," said Judge Bledsoe. "The seed that he has planted in the public mind is already bearing fruit and sentiment is setting in toward bringing to realization the constructive program he urged upon the United States Senate and on the people."

Judge Bledsoe stated that industrial discontent, which leads to a spirit of violence and Bolshevism, can no more be stopped by legislative enactment than could the eruption of Vesuvius or the rush of waters over Niagara Falls be stopped by the enactment of a restraining law. He added:

"The way to combat the dangers and growing menace of Bolshevism is by legislation on the part of the government that will cure the disease that is responsible for the condition, or as Mr. Hearst has so tersely put it, by removing the creative cause. Application of a Bolshevist or resort to the knife will not cure the disease; the cause must be eliminated.

"My idea is that there must be a new conception of government; that the government must depart from the old system of negation which says 'thou must not' do this, that and the other thing. The government must not only provide for policing, but it must also make it possible for the ordinary man to enjoy some of the comforts and conveniences of life. The government that does not do this must deal with industrial unrest.

"I might add the suggestion that has been discovered by experience that the individual laborer is absolutely unable to cope with conditions so as to better them. Either the laboring classes must be entitled to combine or else the government must step in and use the force of public justice in their behalf."

Finds Mayflower in Bloom

North Adams, Feb. 17.—While playing near her home Miss Edith Stalker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stalker of No. 118 Crest street, found a mayflower in bloom.

SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

Miss Elizabeth Zerrahn of Milton and Beacon street, who is devoting this season to volunteer war work. Miss Zerrahn is a member of 1918 Sewing Circle.

By SARA ORGUTT.

The Brookline "Morning Club" will be entertained this afternoon by Mrs. Samuel B. Reed at her home, No. 779 Washington street, with auction bridge. Mrs. S. F. Dearborn and Mrs. W. H. Carter will assist Mrs. Reed in receiving.

Mrs. E. Stuart Clark of No. 33 Bay State road, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Westley Jones of Grove Hall, have left for a three weeks' visit at Old Point Comfort, Va.

Lieutenant Morris Bumpus of U. S. A. Aviation Corps, who was among those recently returning from overseas, has been mustered out at Camp Devins and is at the home of his father, Judge Everett C. Bumpus, at Presidents' Hill, Quincy.

DEMAND ALIEN TEACHER BE DISMISSED

Condemnation of Lynn school committee members for retaining Miss Caroline Borhauer, an alien enemy, as a teacher of French in the Lynn Classical High School, was voiced in a resolution passed unanimously at an organization meeting of the Army and Navy Service Club of Lynn, composed of soldiers and sailors who served in the war.

The resolutions will be presented to the Lynn City Council for consideration at the next meeting of that body tomorrow night. Already the Council has acted against the school teacher by ordering the city treasurer to stop payment of salary to Miss Borhauer.

The salary has been stopped, but Miss Borhauer continues teaching classes, being upheld by the school committee, which contends that she should not be removed because no charges have been made against her.

Prior to the war Miss Borhauer was a teacher of German and French in the Lynn Classical High School. When this country entered the struggle it was found that she was not a citizen, although she had applied for first papers. Under fire of comment by citizens Miss Borhauer discontinued teaching, but resumed her work after the armistice was signed.

BREMEN PROTESTS SURRENDER OF SHIPS

Berne, Feb. 17.—The Bremen government has protested to Herr Fehrenbach, former president of the German Reichstag, against the surrender of German merchant ships to the allies. Fehrenbach also is urged to resist the plan to have the ships manned by German crews under allied direction.

FIND MAN'S BEHEADED BODY ON RAILROAD

The beheaded body of a man, believed to be Frederick Castle, twenty-eight years old, of 747 Cambridge street, Cambridge, was found on the inbound track beneath the Walnut street bridge, Somerville. It is thought the man was struck by an inward-bound train.

BUSINESS NOTICE
CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

DEVENS COURT READY FOR 100 CASES

By THOMAS F. PHELAN.

Camp Devens, Ayer, Feb. 17.—Over 100 soldiers are in the various guardhouses in this cantonment awaiting trial by courtmartial for various offenses, including desertion, absence without leave, stealing, insubordination and fighting. A large precentage of these have grown out of alleged desertions and absences without leave.

The new general court martial just appointed has three judge advocates instead of the customary one, and it is reported that they will be expected to keep the general court busy night and day until the general court cases have been disposed of.

It is expected that it will take several weeks to try all these cases, along with new ones that may develop in the meantime.

There are several important cases awaiting trial, among them that of Sergeant Robert J. Davidson, former receiving clerk at the base hospital, who is accused of misappropriating $4,112 belonging to soldiers who died of influenza here last September and October. Trial of Davidson is scheduled to start tomorrow. His home is in Dorchester.

A delegation of foreign speaking soldiers left for the Federal Building in Boston today and, after complying with the naturalization laws affecting noncitizens in the army, were given their final papers after taking the oath of allegiance to the government.

Geography and history and a knowledge of leadership are among the subjects officers in the Depot Brigade who wish to remain in the army are required to be posted about. It is understood that many officers who appeared before the board appointed to inquire into the fitness of these officers found many deficient in these essentials.

Lieutenant William T. Fitzgerald, 59th Infantry, 4th Division, whose home is in Hopkinton, lost the use of his left hand when a machine-gun bullet struck him while leading his men in an attack on an overwhelming German force in Argonne Forest September 29. He was also wounded in the arm. He was among overseas officers who arrived here and placed in the surgical ward of the Base Hospital.

Uncle Sam Sends 50,000 Pounds of Chicken to Army

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 17.—Uncle Sam sticks to the old adage that the way to man's heart is through his stomach, and continues to ship delicacies to the boys overseas. The latest, it was announced, at the War Department today, is a shipment of 50,000 pounds of chicken and 25,000 cases of fresh supplies.

In a few days 722,000 pounds of chocolate bars and 1,320,000 packages of raisins will be shipped, taking the place of a jam cargo. This does not mean, however, that the boys are to be deprived of jam, for bids have just been received for four million pounds of this delicacy.

WARSHIP BRINGS 13 BLUSHING WAR BRIDES

New York, Feb. 17.—Among thirteen laughing, blushing, English and Irish maids, brides of American soldiers and sailors, who arrived on the auxiliary cruiser Louisville, one of two warships in from Brest, was Mrs. Daphne Withington, wife of Lieutenant Paul R. Withington of Boston, former Harvard all-around athletic star.

Lieutenant Withington, who served overseas in the medical corps, met his bride while she was serving in France as a volunteer nurse. Her father was the late Colonel L. Grafton Beckham of the British army. The marriage took place in December in Ireland. Her mother is now the wife of the heir of Ballintaggart, in Kildare, Ireland.

It is the first contingent of maids from overseas who were wooed and won by American soldiers while on shore leave. The Navy Department is arranging to bring others just as soon as accommodations can be found on returning ships of war.

The Louisville also brought back the field and staff supply company, medical detachment, and one battalion of the 351st Field Artillery, colored, with a total of forty-six officers and 1,286 men, eight officers and fifty-seven men of the 167th Field Artillery, 300 casuals, and 295 ill and wounded.

The cruiser Huntington brought back thirty-nine officers and 977 men of the 161st Infantry, six officers and sixty-six men of the 141st Ambulance Company, seventeen officers and 751 men of the first battalion, 161st Infantry, and two casual companies of Ohio and Pennsylvania troops.

FORMER MAYOR STACY OF SPRINGFIELD DEAD

Springfield, Feb. 17.—Former Mayor Frank E. Stacy died early today. He was a former president of the New England Hardware Dealers' Association. He served as Mayor of Springfield four years, retiring a month ago after refusing a third term. He was forty-seven years old.

ALLOW RAISE IN GAS DESPITE PROTEST

In spite of the protests of the residents of both Milford and Hopedale, including the selectmen of each town, the Gas and Electric Light Commission has handed down a decision permitting the Milford Gas Company to raise the price of gas on and after February 1 from $1.67 to $2.10 per thousand cubic feet.

The company contended the high price of and the poor quality of coal for making gas, coupled with the abnormal conditions of labor and material, necessitates the increase. The petitioners declared the consumers should not be compelled to bear the entire burden of the high cost of gas production due to these reasons, but the commission found that such contentions "cannot be upheld."

LAUD HEARST PAPERS FOR STAND ON IRISH QUESTION

New York, Feb. 17. — The Thomas Addis Branch of the Friends of Irish Freedom in an record today with resolutions according to the Hearst papers the highest commendation for the honorable, courageous, independent and American stand that has become identified with toward Ireland and its struggle for self-determination and freedom."

The solutions declare the Hearst papers are the only ones in New York that "have not succumbed to the powerful and far-reaching influence of British propaganda, and which do not display the smooth and subtle enmity toward Ireland, whose people are seeking now, as they have for generations, to establish a free republic just outside the mouth of the United States and independent of the autocratic over-lordship of Great Britain."

TWO SHIPS BLOWN INTO MUD FLAT AT LAUNCHING

Newark, N. J., Feb. 17.—Two of the three ships launched here yesterday by the Submarine Boat Corporation were caught by a heavy wind and blown into a mud flat.

An addition to many other Filene shoes—

Filene's

We have secured the agency for a *new* shoe—

announces *a new principle* in comfort footwear —

the ARCH PRESERVER shoe for MEN and also for WOMEN

not a corrective shoe, *not* a cripple's shoe, *not* a shoe for deformed feet—BUT—

a shoe for *normal* feet—to *keep* them normal!

—ARCH PRESERVER—
SHOES for MEN
keep men fit!

Thousands of otherwise perfect men rejected for service by Uncle Sam because of flat feet! High time for *every* man to consider whether he is wearing the *right* kind of shoes!

Feet break down, it is claimed, because the *ordinary* shoe does not give feet a chance to stretch and contract normally. "Arch Preservers" provide this chance, not by "propping" the feet like a cripple's crutch, but by *providing the feet with a firm, unyielding, unvarying tread base of real bridge construction, including a shank which will never break down.*

Drop in to the men's shoe shop—which you can do without the slightest obligation to buy—and the whole interesting story is yours. And the pleasing, all-over fit and supreme comfort the instant your foot slides into your size Arch Preserver will prove all assertions far more than mere words can.

Wide toe type $11

"Arch Preservers" come in tan and black.

Lengths 5 to 12, widths AAA to EE. Sizes for little men, big men, every man.

All men's Arch Preservers $11.

—ARCH PRESERVER—
SHOES for WOMEN
"the shoe with the anchored arch"

There are two things to keep in mind about Arch Preserver shoes. First, the stiff arch that gives the foot the same solid support as a floor. Second, the fact that they are made to be fitted from *heel to ball*, rather than from heel to toe. Hardly two feet that measure size 6, for instance, when fitted the ordinary way, measure the same from heel to ball, and it is of extreme importance that the ball, the widest part of the foot, be fitted. Arch Preserver shoes are fitted on this principle.

Most shoes have lost sight of the first principle of the heel. The first heels were worn by a Roman army. They were a straight, unbroken, solid wedge attached to the shoe to give the soldier more speed in walking. Even at that time it was known that walking is a process of falling and picking one's self up again —therefore, the heel or wedge was put in to shorten the distance. These first heels gave the same solid support as the ground—the Roman emperor who led his troops to battle would not have imperilled their foot arches by the broken support given by modern shoes.

Arch Preserver shoes preserve the principles of the first heels. The Arch Preserver shank will never break down. Arch Preserver shoes will be fitted by trained orthopedists—fitted the correct way, from heel to ball—in the women's specialty shoe shop, 5th floor.

$10

All women's Arch Preservers $10.

Don't wait till foot troubles come—save your feet now; it pays. Let us tell you more about the ARCH PRESERVER.

Women's—fifth floor; Men's—second floor.

RICHARDSON'S

First Great Clearance Furniture Sale

An Overwhelming Success

A Word of Appreciation

We desire to express our thanks and sincere gratitude to the public for the most wonderful week's business in our history. The results for the past week are most gratifying, for it proved to us beyond any question of doubt that the values offered at this store, located out of the high rent district, are so considerably more attractively priced that thrifty people welcome an opportunity to save on high quality furniture, even though we are not so conveniently located to the retail shopping district. There are still thousands of articles of high-grade furniture at

33⅓-50% Reductions

In many instances the values offered are one or two of a kind—so better come early and avoid being disappointed.

Chamber Furniture Reduced Low

7-Pc. Hepplewhite All Crotch Mahogany Suite. Reduced from $1500 to $650

9-Pc. Walnut Twin Bed Chamber Suite. Reduced from $500 to $325

7-Pc. Mahogany Queen Anne Period, highest class Grand Rapids make chamber suite. Reduced from $475 to $263.50

5-Pc. Mahogany William and Mary Period Chamber Suite. Reduced from $365 to $250

5-Pc. Mahogany Chamber Suite. Reduced from $395 to $235

4-Pc. Hepplewhite Walnut 48-inch dresser, bed, chiffrobe and vanity dresser. Reduced from $375 to $225

Many other equally good values.

Odd Walnut Toilet Table with triplicate mirrors. Reduced from $32 to $17

Odd Sheraton Mahogany Inlaid China Cabinet, handsomely constructed. Reduced from $110 to $65

A Mahogany Sheraton Dining Suite

This Sheraton Mahogany 10-Piece Dining Suite, consisting of buffet, china cabinet, serving table, extension table, five side chairs and arm chair upholstered in splendid black leather, is truly a remarkable value, finished in a dull rich mahogany—finished in our own factory. Reduced from $250 to $159

Miscellaneous

1000 Odd Chamber and Dining Chairs, $3 to $5 values. Reduced to $2 to $6.50

3 Quartered Oak Leather Settees. Reduced from $25 to $18.50

Reduced from $37.50 to $24.75

Reduced from $35 to $26.50

Adams Period Mahogany, Tapestry Seat Rocker and Chair. Reduced from $45 to $24.50

Early English Book Case. Reduced from $65 to $39.75

Jacobean Extension Table. Reduced from $40 to $21.50

Solid Mahogany Sheraton Inlaid Extension Table. Reduced from $125 to $72.50

Living Room Furniture Reduced

3-Pc. Overstuffed High-Grade Tapestry Suite, 6 ft. 6 in. davenport. Reduced from $375 to $215

3-Pc. Overstuffed Tapestry Suite, spring edge construction. Reduced from $300 to $167.50

Large, luxurious, spring edge construction Velour Chair. Reduced from $75 to $49.75

Mahogany Inlaid 60-inch Bookcase. Reduced from $65 to $45.50

William and Mary Period Davenport Table. Reduced from $50 to $29.75

Hundreds of others

Dining Furniture Liberally Reduced

10-Piece Mahogany and Gold Period Dining Suite. Reduced from $950 to $500

10-Piece Mahogany Chinese Chippendale Suite, blue leather chairs. Reduced from $550 to $395

10-Piece Louis XVI Walnut Suite, closed china cabinet, denim covered chairs. Reduced from $515 to $398

10-Piece Hepplewhite Decorated Dining Suite. Reduced from $475 to $350

8-Piece Queen Anne Mahogany Suite, cane back chairs. Reduced from $350 to $278

Many other equally good values

Massive Quartered Fumed Oak Buffet—A remarkable value. Reduced from $55 to $36

GOODS PURCHASED NOW HELD FOR FUTURE DELIVERY

Richardson Furniture Co.

Wholesalers and Retailers

20 Sudbury Street

Near Haymarket Sq.

Odd Chamber Furniture Reduced Low

A sample value of the many in odd chamber furniture—Golden Oak Chiffonier. Reduced from $32 to $20.50

FOOD HELD IN COLD STORAGE SHOWN IN STAGGERING FIGURES

Advertisement

ACTRESS TELLS SECRET

A Well Known Actress Tells How to Darken Gray Hair With a Simple Home Made Mixture.

Juliet Williams, the well known American actress, who was recently playing at the Imperial Theatre in St. Louis, Mo., made the following statement about gray hair and how to darken it:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray streaked or faded hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce of bay rum, a small box of Barbo Compound, and 1 ounce of glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost, or any druggist can mix it for you. Apply to the hair twice a week until darkened enough. This will make a gray haired person look years younger. It is not sticky, it does not color the most delicate scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off.

INCREASE IN BUTTER AND EGGS

Continued from First Page.

held are also reported in the staggering figure of 39,000,000 pounds.

On February 1 of this year there were in cold storage among the following commodities in the amounts noted:

Frozen beef	288,851,470
Cured beef	36,300,000
Lamb	3,000,000
Mutton	102,906,794
Pork, fresh	102,906,794
Pork, cured	1,000,000
Miscellaneous meats	127,915,140
Lard	135,000,000
Creamery butter	92,815,500
Other butter	12,810,000
Cheese	2,310,420
Eggs, shell	1,127,043
Frozen eggs (cases)	7,001,500
Frozen eggs (cans)	1,000,000
Poultry	4,145,242

On the jump in Saturday's wholesale quotations for butter resulted in the melting of downtown retail prices and in most of the suburban markets. At Faneuil Hall fresh eggs today are selling for 65 cents, an advance of 5 cents over Saturday's retail figures. Print butter has advanced 2 cents to 61 cents and tub butter 1 cent to 61 cents. Cheese and lard prices remain stationary at Faneuil Hall, selling for 25 and 24 cents respectively.

BIG JUMP IN CHARLESTOWN.

The most pronounced advance for today was in Charlestown, where print butter jumped up five cents to 68 cents per pound, tub butter one cent to 63 cents a pound. Fresh eggs at 65 to 70 cents a dozen are the highest today, on Saturday were selling for 62 cents. Cheese and lard prices in Charlestown remained the same.

At Coolidge Corner print butter advanced two cents and today is selling for 62 cents the pound. But this is not the highest price for butter in the suburbs. In Melrose the price for a pound of print butter continues at 65 cents. The lowest price for print butter is found in Cambridge, where 56 cents will enable the thrifty housewife to carry home a pound.

For the most part suburban dealers today held to their Saturday figures, notwithstanding the wholesale price advance on Saturday. Eggs were advanced on the wholesale market two cents, selling for 52 cents, new cheese advanced one cent from 31 cents and both grades of butter, print and tub, advanced three cents.

Both print and tub butter advanced on the wholesale market today, each jumping one cent per pound. Print butter figures today are 53 cents and tub butter 52 cents the pound. Fresh eggs were quoted at 49 to 52 cents and storage eggs at prices of 47 to 49 cents. Storage eggs today remain the same as Saturday, 46 to 48 and 28 cents and the trends true with regard to new cheese and lard, cheese selling for 31 cents and lard for 28½ cents.

ENDORSES AMERICAN'S CAMPAIGN

The American's campaign against food profiteers daily is receiving hearty endorsement from individuals and from many organizations throughout the city. The latest of these is the endorsement by the Boston Clothing Cutters and Trimmers' Union. At a meeting of this union the members voted unanimously to endorse the efforts of the Boston American in its fight for fair food prices in Greater Boston.

The reports of the Federal investigators who have been collecting evidence against food profiteers will be submitted today, Assistant Attorney Daniel A. Shea said today.

"We have no official notice at this office that the Food Administration has removed all restrictions on eggs, as I read in the Boston papers. The reports will be turned in today, I expect, and if any flagrant violations are included in the evidence District Attorney Hoynton undoubtedly will place such cases before the Grand Jury."

Under the direction of United States District Attorney Thomas J. Boynton the Federal agents have been working energetically collecting data throughout Greater Boston and tabulating the evidence of profiteering prior to submitting their reports today.

The Federal investigation is not the only one inspired by the American campaign, however. The State campaign inaugurated against the food pirates by the order of Representative Wendell Phillips Thorp, calling for an investigation by Attorney-General Attwill, is now being pushed, and results will soon be noticeable. Representative Phillips' order was adopted by the House without debate, and the Attorney-General is now acting under its authority.

Boston housewives and heads of families are watching with keen interest the fight the American is making in behalf of the public and they are being close watch on prices charged by retailers.

Retail Prices on Eggs, Butter and Cheese in Boston and Suburbs

The retail prices on butter, eggs, cheese and lard in one of the Faneuil Hall markets and some suburbs today and preceding days were as follows:

A FANEUIL HALL MARKET

	Mon.	Sat.	Wed. Fri.	Tues.
Print butter	64	62	60	60
Tub butter	63	60	58	58
Fresh eggs	65	62	60	60
Storage eggs	—	50	50	50
New cheese	35	35	34	34
Yg. Am. cheese	—	—	—	—
Pure lard	24	24	24	23

COOLIDGE CORNER.

	Mon.	Tues. to Sat.	Wed. to Mon.	Thurs.
Print butter	62	60	60	62
Tub butter	—	—	—	—
Fresh eggs	64	64	60	60
Storage eggs	49	49	46-55	50-55
New cheese	38	38	40	40
Yng. Am. cheese	40	40	40	40
Lard	29	29	29	29

EAST BOSTON.

	Mon.	Tues. to Fri. & Sat.	Sat.
Print butter	57	57	65
Tub butter	55	55	60
Fresh eggs	57	57	60
Storage eggs	—	—	50
New cheese	42	42	42
Yng. Am. cheese	42	42	42
Lard	32	32	32

CHELSEA.

	Sat. to Sat. Mon. Incls.	Wed. Fri. Thurs.
Tub butter	55	55
Henhery eggs	76	76
Fresh eggs	65	65
Western eggs	55	55
Storage eggs	—	—
New cheese	45	45
Yng. Am. cheese	45	45
Lard	29	29

MELROSE.

	Mon. Incls.	Tu to Sat. Sat.
Print butter	65	65
Tub butter	60	60
Fresh eggs	70	70
Storage eggs	58	58
New cheese	45	45
Yng American cheese	38	38

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
Storage eggs	42	42	42	42	42	42
New cheese	35	35	35	35	35	35
Yng. Am. cheese	45	45	45	45	45	45
Lard	24	24	24	24	24	24

SOUTH BOSTON.

	Mon.	Wed to Sat. Incls.	Tues.
Print butter	58	58	58
Tub butter	56-58	56-58	56-58
Fresh eggs	65	65	65
Storage eggs	48	48	—
New cheese	40	40	40
Yng. Am. cheese	40	40	40
Lard	30	30	30

ROXBURY.

	Mon.	Thur. Fri. & Sat.	Tues. & Wed.
Print butter	62	62	62
Tub butter	59	59	59
Fresh eggs	52-57	52-57	54-57
Storage eggs	—	—	40-45
New cheese	40	40	40
Yng Am. cheese	40	40	40
Lard	25	25-5	25
xFriday.			

JAMAICA PLAIN.

	Mon.	W., Th. Sat. & Fri.
Print butter	56	56
Tub butter	55-65	55-65
Fresh eggs	58-65	58-65
Storage eggs	—	—
New cheese	42	42
Young Am. cheese	42	42
Lard	32	32

SOMERVILLE.

	Mon.	Fri. Tu.W. Sat. & Th.
Print butter	55-60	55-60
Tub butter	58	55-58
Fresh eggs	70	60-70

Housewives' Price List

Date Feb. 17, 1919.

Name of store.....

Address.....

	RETAIL PRICE	SATURDAY WHOLESALE PRICE
PRINT BUTTER		53
TUB BUTTER		52
FRESH EGGS		49-52
STORAGE EGGS		37-38
NEW CHEESE		31
PURE LARD		28

(Signed) Name of customer or store.

Please send at once to the Editor of the Boston American.

Wholesale Food Prices

OFFICIAL WHOLESALE PRICES FROM BOSTON FRUIT AND PRODUCE EXCHANGE

	Print Butter	Tub Butter	Fresh eggs	Storage eggs	New cheese	Pure lard
Tuesday, Jan. 28	53	52	63	45-48	36	26½
Friday, Feb. 14	49	48	48-50	37-38	30	—
Saturday, Feb. 15	52	51	47-52	37-38	31	28½
Monday, Feb. 17	53	52	49-52	37-38	31	28½
One-day difference	up 1	up 1	—	—	off 14-11	off 8-10 off 5 up 2½
Eighteen-day difference	—	—	—	—		

Last Boston quotation 27½, February 11.

HELD ON CHARGE OF VIOLATING MAIL LAW

Edward J. Ivory, charged with sending an obscene letter through the mails, was arraigned before United States Commissioner Hayes today and held in $500 for a hearing on April 17. The letter alleged to have been sent by Ivory was addressed to "The War Department, Chicago, Ill." Ivory had been an employe at the Watertown Arsenal up to Dec. 15, when he was discharged. He lives on Mt. Vernon street, Brighton.

DISMISS 125 WOMEN AT NAVY YARD ROPEWALK

About 125 women operators, the entire number at the ropewalk of the navy yard at Charlestown, were today notified that their services would terminate next Friday evening. An oversupply of material is given as the cause. The ropewalk was the first department in the yard to employ women, starting shortly after the outbreak of the war.

THREE SPITTERS FINED IN SOUTH BOSTON

Patrick King, Benjamin Sabiles and Adam Shenosky, convicted in South Boston Court today on charges of spitting on the sidewalk were fined $2 each. William Clifford, convicted of disturbing an assembly at the Imperial Theatre, was placed on probation, and for using profane language he was fined $5. John T. Grogan, for using profane language to Patrolman Roach was fined $5.

DEMANDS THAT U. S. CONTROL PRICES

By HAZEL CANNING.

"It is a matter for government control—no less a remedy can cure it!"

This is the remedy suggested by Mrs. Ida Hebbard, president of the Housekeepers' League, for food prices that, just as they seem to be reaching that threaten to go up; for coal, light and heat and other vital household expenses.

Mrs. Hebbard, for seven years now as president of the Housekeepers' League, has led a valiant war on high cost of food in the city of Boston. She knows by original investigation the truth of what she speaks.

As she explained: "For seven years I have studied high food costs, and how shades of nourishment all over the city. I have seen, day after day, and year after year, much undernourishment, such poor food forced upon the girl in the store, the factory, the shivering little school child, the wretched mother of the tenements, that I know there is but one remedy—for the government to take control.

"All other methods are waste of energy, unproductive of any decent results to working people.

"As this is true of food, so is it true of heat, and of rent. How foolish to regulate one of the prime necessities and to let the others roam afield along the broad paths of profiteering greed.

"As to coal, right near my own house, I have heard of a case of a druggist who has paid a rent of $100 a month for twenty years, has just had his rent doubled. He cannot pay the rent. The business will not allow it. He will therefore be forced out of business. There should be some way of posting that irresponsible landlord, so that no decent women will deal with him.

"We are a patient people. We have been, so far as prices go, an overpatient people during the war, but now the war is done, it is our right. It is our due, as free Americans, to have the right to buy goods with which the storehouses of the country are bursting, to buy them at prices that we can afford to pay.

"Take a war phenomena: Mrs. A, excellent patriot, stumps speeched up and down the land telling other patriots how they could live on 25 cents a day, and how they could every thing they liked, and clung to the cheapest and most nourishing foods. That is all right in its way. But I believe that, to be fully nourished we should have a little bit of everything we like. Keep prices down, by government control, and so we can have what we need to eat.

"It is undemocratic and un-American, for two-thirds of the food, and fuel, and heat, and for us intelligent women to sit by and let these be withheld from the people who have earned them by their hard day's work—withheld by rich manipulators who just a little before have been unpaid members of public committees, posing as patriots, but getting, in their unpaid government capacity, such information as to the way politics were shaping that their profits from their private businesses waxed fat while patriotism took a vacation.

"The matter simmers down to this: There's an unrest abroad; there's so much real hunger abroad, among the ranks of working people, that unless the government takes hold I am afraid of results.

"As a book I was just reading remarked: 'We think the dealers have got us,' whereas we have got the dealers, if we're a mind—we women—to get together to do it. For as the article continues, 'robbery of the people is never a crime, unless the people can prove it was unlawful.'

"Robbery—that's what's going on all about us, in the sale of the four essential commodities of life. But we have it in our own hands to convict the robbers, if we unite and use our heads."

Mrs. F. M. French, president of the Cantabrigia Club till just a few months ago, was emphatic in her views as to the need of reform. "Just remember first," said she, "that I offer no specific remedy to better conditions. That will take much time of earnest women, I think.

CONDITIONS GETTING WORSE.

"But I feel that as to necessities we could not be very much worse off than we are. Still, this being the case, as every housekeeper knows, things are still getting worse. The fact is this, as stated in the American recently: Nobody lies in the hands of housekeepers themselves, if they are intelligent enough to find it out.

"Perhaps a committee to publish all the time fair prices in the papers, might aid. If this committee had some legal authority behind it, it might be all the better.

"The need for action is so plain that if we are intelligent we shall get together and see that we are not deprived of our rightful share of the fruits of our work by dealers who unpatriotically and shamefully gamble with the costs of the necessities, for their own greed and gain."

BOND, HARVARD ATHLETE, TO RETURN TO COLLEGE

"Bafe" Bond, former member of the Harvard football team and baseball squad, has signified his intention of returning to Cambridge to continue his college studies. Bond has been released from the Naval Reserve Force. He has been attending the First Naval District Officers' Material School in Cambridge and has finished his course. He will graduate next Thursday.

Gentlemen A Word With You About Shaving

WHEN you buy Woodbury's Facial Soap and Cuticura Ointment you receive the Cuticura way, the healthful way of using soap, water, ointment, to free skin, scalp, hands from irritation, even where shaved for daily. One soap for all face—shaving, bathing, shampooing. Nothing purely toilet like them to speak of its value in promoting skin purity, skin comfort and skin health. Largest selling skin soaps in the world.

Cuticura Toilet Trio

Consisting of Soap, Ointment and Talcum are indispensable adjuncts of the daily toilet in maintaining skin purity and skin health. Bringing these delicately medicated emollients in frequent contact with your skin as in no form of toilet purposes, tends to keep the skin, scalp and hands clear, sweet and healthy. 25c. each everywhere.

Advertisement

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes —Most Women Can Have

Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. You will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonderworkers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system.

If you have a pale face, sallow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one or Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results.

Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edward's Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists

People who have suffered agonies from skin troubles get nights of peaceful rest after using Cadum Ointment

Much suffering from skin troubles may be avoided by the timely use of this wonderful remedy. It stops the itching at once and is very soothing and healing wherever the skin is irritated or inflamed. Cadum Ointment is good for eczema, pimples, blotches, chaings, piles, rash, scale, ringworm, cuts, sores, insect bites, etc.

NUXATED IRON

To Help Make Strong, Keen Red-Blooded Americans

NOW

Being used by over three million people annually. It will increase the strength of weak, nervous, run-down folks in two weeks' time in many instances. Ask your doctor or druggist.

Stop Your Coughing

No need to let that cough persist. Stop the irritation, and promote healing and healthy tissue by soothing the inflamed throat with

PISO'S

RECIPE TO CLEAR A PIMPLY SKIN

Pimples are Impurities Seeking an Outlet Through Skin Pores.

Pimples, sores and boils usually result from toxins, poisons and impurities which are generated in the bowels and then absorbed into the blood through the very ducts which should absorb only nourishment to sustain the body.

It is the function of the kidneys to filter impurities from the blood and cast them out in the form of urine, but in many instances the bowels create more toxins and impurities than the kidneys can eliminate, then the blood uses the skin pores as the next best means of getting rid of these impurities which often break out all over the skin in the form of pimples.

The surest way to clear the skin of these eruptions, says a noted authority, is to get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of hot water each morning before breakfast for one week. This will prevent the formation of toxins in the bowels. It also stimulates the kidneys to normal activity, thus coaxing them to filter the blood of impurities and clearing the skin of pimples.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent drink which usually makes pimples disappear, cleanses the blood and is excellent for the kidneys as well.—Advertisement.

NERVOUS ENERGY

life's momentum, depends upon a well-nourished body. When strength is depleted and the body lacking in essential nourishment, the nerves are the first to suffer.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

almond-pure in substance, rich in tonic qualities, nourishes the whole body and strengthens and steadies the nerves. Wherever the sun shines, Scott's is the recognized standard tonic-food and conserver of strength.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N.J. 18-17

GILCHRIST'S BASEMENT STORE

Our Self-Acting Reduction Plan Creates Bargains

No Mail or Phone Orders Filled in Basement

Tuesday at 8:30 A. M.

Union Suits for Women and Children at Greatly Reduced Prices

Women's Union Suits
Full Bleached, fleece lined cotton, high neck, long sleeves; sizes 34 to 42. First Quality. 89c

Women's Union Suits
Full bleached, long sleeve, ankle length; sizes 34 to 44. Seconds. $1.10

Children's Union Suits
Full Bleached, fleece lined cotton, drop seat; sizes 2 to 10 years. (Seconds.) 89c

Silk Dresses $8.45

Satin, Georgette Crepe and a few Taffeta Dresses, collars slightly soiled. Navy, taupe and colors. Broken sizes.

Jap Silk Blouses at $1.49

Round and V neck models, prettily trimmed with Venise lace and embroidery; sizes 38 to 44.

Small lot of Crepe de Chine and Georgette Blouses. Sizes 38 and 40 only. at $2.00

Cap & Scarf Sets for Misses and Children At two prices 19c and 29c

A Cough That Lasts

and will not yield to ordinary remedies must have special treatment.

Hayes' Healing Honey

Stops the Tickle Heals the Throat Relieves the Cough

wonderfully effective in the treatment of Coughs, but if the Cough is deep-seated and the Head or Chest is sore, a penetrating salve should be applied. This greatly helps any cough syrup in relieving Coughs and Colds.

A Free Box of GROVE'S O-Pen-Trate Salve (Opens the Pores and Penetrates) For Chest Colds, Head Colds, and Croup,

is enclosed with every bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY. This is the only cough syrup on the market with which this additional treatment is given. The Salve is also very valuable as a Germicide for the Nose and Throat. You get both remedies for the price of one. 35c.

Sold by all Druggists. If your Druggist should not have it in stock, he will order it from his nearest Wholesale Druggist.

Made and recommended to the public by

Paris Medicine Company MANUFACTURERS OF LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS

Notice To Retail Druggists

We authorize every druggist to say to his customers that if they do not like HAYES' HEALING HONEY better than any cough syrup they have ever used, he will refund the money.

On receipt of notice from the druggist, we will promptly send the retail price for every bottle failing to do all we claim for it, and the Druggist will not lose any profit on the transaction. You will confer a favor on your customers by calling their attention to the advantages of this Cough Remedy over all others.

PARIS MEDICINE COMPANY, St. Louis, Mo.

"SYRUP OF FIGS" CHILD'S LAXATIVE

Look at tongue! Remove poisons from stomach, liver and bowels

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless laxative or physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its delicious, fruity taste. Full directions for child's dose on each bottle. Give it without fear. —Advertisement.

SPECIAL NOTICE

FATHER JOHN'S MEDICINE BUILDS YOU UP WARDS OFF INFLUENZA

No Alcohol or Dangerous Drugs.

Rupture Kills 7,000 Annually

Seven thousand persons each year are said away—the burial certificate being marked "Rupture." Why? Because the unfortunate ones had neglected themselves or had been merely taking care of the sign (symptom) of the affliction and paying no attention to the cause. What are you doing? Are you neglecting yourself by wearing a truss, appliance or whatever name you may call it, that is false, that tries to cure a weakness? Such contrivances are positively harmful as compared to an aid to act as nature intended—with Internal support. The binding pressure retards blood circulation, thus robbing the weakened muscles of that which they need most—nourishment. Science has found a way, and every sufferer owes it to himself to investigate it. This is the original and the newest method of non-surgical, logical and successful self-treatment for rupture, the kind you have been dreaming of.

The PLAPAO Pad clings adhering closely to the body (under) possible skin (while out of place). Therefore cannot chafe or pinch. Soft as velvet—easy to apply—inexpensive. Durable. Used while you work and while you sleep. **No straps,** buckles or springs attached.

Learn how to close the hernial opening in nature's way. Let us tell you about it. Write today. Send your name to-day for PLAPAO Book 32. St. Louis, Mo., for Book, trial Plapao and the instructive information necessary.—Advertisement.

BLISS NATIVE HERB TABLETS

are first aid to thousands of people for the relief of

KIDNEY TROUBLE

It is regarded as the pioneer and only standard herb remedy, and has also been found very beneficial for Catarrh, Constipation and Indigestion. It is a great

Kidney and Liver Regulator

Guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Every genuine BLISS tablet contains this trade mark. Price $1.00 per box of 200 tablets. Sold by leading druggists and local agents everywhere.

Y. W. C. A. DRIVE FOR $114,000 UNDER WAY

Organization Is Taking Active Part in the Work of Americanization

The language of the heart is the common tongue in which more than 1,000 foreign-speaking women since the war began have told their story to Miss Alfrieda M. Mosher, secretary of the Americanization department of the Boston Y. W. C. A. Most of them were educated women who had come to America because they hoped to find here a better chance for self-development.

"Your hopes are true of all of them," says Miss Mosher. "They came here for opportunity and they brought with them the natural longing of every woman for social pleasure and companionship. In this we read America's obligation to meet the expectations of the foreign born women and to help her make the right adjustment to her new environment.

"Through the social work of the Americanization department, Miss Mosher has worked out a plan which gives the foreign women coming to her congenial companionship in special groups and a common interest in all the various groups of different nationalities and tastes.

"Jews, French, English and other clubs group the women of the same language for special interests and gatherings at Christmas and other occasions bring them all together in a common interest.

"Among the nationalities represented in this Americanization work of the Y. W. C. A are Bavarian, French, Hungarian, German, Belgian, Austrian, Swiss, Russian, Greek, Swedish, Danish, Spanish and Italian.

"One of the instances of the cruelty of war is the story of Alexandria Zelchenko, a young Russian girl. When the war broke out Alexandria was a student in the University of Lausanne, Switzerland. Her mother, who was a physician at Kornel, Province of Mohilev, Russia, entered Red Cross work and wrote her daughter to come to America. The girl crossed the ocean alone and came to the home of an uncle at Malden.

"That was three years ago, when she was sixteen. She has been able to hear nothing of her mother and has no means of knowing whether she is alive or fell a victim to the horrors of war. The heart-broken girl sat about to prepare herself to make her own living, and took up kindergarten study. She is now governess in a suburban family.

To continue its Americanization work and its many other activities the Boston Y. W. C. A. will conduct a fund-raising campaign this week. The local organization is 80 per cent self-supporting. The remaining 20 per cent must be raised by contributions. Campaign headquarters have been opened at the business women's branch of the Y. W. C. A., No. 87a Beacon street.

MISS ALFRIEDA M. MOSHER, Y. W. C. A. secretary, leading drive for $114,000 to be used in carrying out work of Americanization.

2,575 KILLED IN COAL MINES DURING 1918

Secretary Lane Pays Tribute to Men Who Helped Win War Through Work

By International News Service.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The casualty list of the American coal mining army for 1918, reported today to Secretary Lane of the Department of the Interior by the Bureau of Mines, includes 2,575 men killed.

"This is the penalty paid by one peaceful industry during a year of war," said Secretary Lane, "and it emphasizes the hardly appreciated fact that the worker in the mining industry who did his full duty during the war braved perils as did the soldier at the front, and quite as willingly went to the supreme sacrifice.

"When the war was on, we Americans created many slogans, and not the least among them was that 'coal will win the war.' The war has been won, and in its winning there will always stand forth the brilliant achievement and patriotic effort of the American coal miner.

"With a little more than three-quarters of a million men in this army, with only three thousand more men than employed in the year before, these men succeeded in bringing from the earth thirty-four million more tons of coal than in 1917, a tremendous factor in bringing the war to a speedy close. The total production of coal was 655,300,000 tons, the greatest production ever achieved. For every life lost there was 246,000 tons of coal produced. There was a decrease of 253 deaths from explosions of gas and coal dust.

"It is rather curious but true," said the secretary, "that with the mines operating to capacity, there is less liability of a high death rate, for the reason that the great activity tends to prevent accumulations of gas in the old workings and compels the maintenance of better roof conditions."

DENOUNCE EVILS OF BOLSHEVISM IN SENATE

President's Duty to Stamp Out Menace, Says Weeks

By JOHN TEMPLE GRAVES

Washington, Feb. 17.—The anti-Bolshevik sentiment has flamed to Washington visibility in the Senate and many strategic centres in two powerful meetings held Sunday evening in the capital.

Senator Thomas stirred the Senate with a ringing and fearless speech, denouncing the Bolshevik spirit and the supineness and the apathy of the Senate in not suppressing it and allowing it to grow by inaction. He said:

"We are frittering our time away here. These 'Red' publications are springing up like mushrooms and the country is on the eve of a volcanic upheaval. These 'Red' publications are now reaching 5,000,000 people every day.

ENCOURAGE INSURRECTION.

"They are not only encouraging insurrection, but are preaching the doctrine of the dagger and the torch, announcing that universal massacre and destruction soon will begin.

"These publications advocate and practice treason, and are doing it with impunity. We are minimizing the magnitude of these conditions. Officials of the government are simple for lack of legislative authority."

Senator Thomas insisted that everything on the calendar should be put aside so that the Senate might enact at once legislation to suppress revolutionary doctrines. He declared:

"Self preservation is the first law of human nature."

WEEKS SOUNDS WARNING.

Senator Weeks of Massachusetts declared the President has no more important duty than "stamping out the evil which is likely to become a scourge in the immediate future." He said the Overman sub-committee investigating Bolshevik propaganda was of little value at this time, because no recommendation from that committee could be made for several weeks and the danger was at hand. He concluded:

"If we wait for the report of the committee, we will be deluged with the menace, and, I fear, in a bloody fashion."

The Senatorial statements were founded upon an open first page in the Washington Post which stirred the city Saturday morning with the positive statement of the imminence of the terror.

It appears now that the government officials had full warning of the Bolshevik activity months ago with such specific detail as to have made it possible to stamp it out then.

LIEUT. HARTT PLACED ON INACTIVE LIST

Newport, R. I., Feb. 17.—Lieutenant C. Philip Hartt, U. S. N., R. F., has been placed on the inactive list after serving twenty-two months in various capacities, including executive officer of the Material Section and later aide to commandant, Rear Admiral Joseph W. Oman of the Training Station. Mr. and Mrs. Hartt have departed for their home in Charles River Village, Mass.

TO TELL SONS OF BROWN OF WAR EXPERIENCES

Newport, R. I., Feb. 17.—Lieutenant William P. Sheffield, jr., son of William Payne Sheffield of Newport, will tell "Some Personal Experiences at Chateau Thierry," at the forty-sixth annual reunion of the Sons of Brown of Boston and vicinity, at the Boston City Club Tuesday night. Lieutenant Sheffield was with the 17th F. A. howitzer regiment, a part of the famous 2d Division marines.

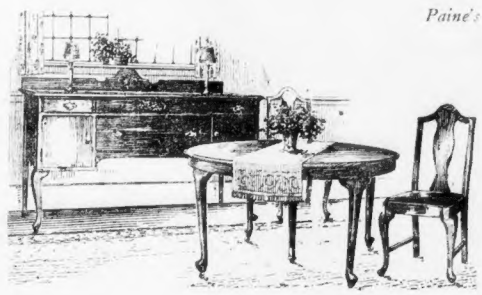
FUNERAL OF H. L. HISCOCK HELD AT FOREST HILLS

Funeral services for Henry Lowell Hiscock, well known in insurance circles, who died while en route to Denver, Colo., on February 8, were held from the chapel at Forest Hills cemetery. Elisha B. Seeley, formerly a reader at the Second Church of Christ, Scientist, Roxbury, officiated. The burial took place at Forest Hills.

ARRANGE NOVEL PROGRAM FOR VINE STREET GYM

The mid-season demonstration of gymnastics, games and dances by the women's and girls' classes of the Vine street Gymnasium will be held tonight at 8 o'clock. Physical Director William H. Cronen has arranged a novel program, including wands, dumbbells, clubs, dancing and esthetics exercises. Admission will be free to women and girls over 16 years old.

Paine's



Significant Values—

—because, emphasizing a Paine fundamental—namely:—To present at all times the widest variety of well-designed worth-while furniture, Rugs, Draperies and other decorations at moderate prices:—

This mahogany dining room suite for example:

A modern interpretation of the Queen Anne period, and even more attractive than the illustration; sideboard, table, china cabinet, silver table, one arm chair and five side chairs, the 10 pieces for **$295.**

Axminster Rugs, excellent colorings and designs, thick and durable, 9x12 ft., **$47.50.**

Voile or Scrim Curtains, an unusual collection at a pair; striking and decorative cretonnes, **75c** a yard.

Paine Furniture Company

Arlington Street near Boylston Street

It's toasted

Off to the theatre

On the way, light a Lucky Strike, the real Burley cigarette. It's toasted. Toasting develops and improves the flavor of Burley tobacco, just as toasting gives bread more flavor.

LUCKY STRIKE cigarette

It's toasted. Now everyone knows that toasted tobacco is the greatest improvement in cigarette manufacture in 20 years.

It's toasted

Open your package this way

Guaranteed by The American Tobacco Co.

Amusements

SHUBERT WILBUR THEATRE — Wilbur Lee & J. J. Shubert, Managing Directors

Seats at Theatre and Little Building Eves. at 8—Mats. Wed. & Sat. at 2

Happiness Rampant!

"SHE'S A PIPPIN"

QUEEN OF MUSICAL PLAYS

"LITTLE SIMPLICITY"

The One Great Boston Sensation

HANDSOMEST GIRLS EVER

Seats Now for Washington's Birthday

Amusements

9TH WEEK

PLYMOUTH THEATRE

Elliot Near Tremont

Leo Carrillo

in Oliver Morosco's

FUN AND FASHION HIT

Mats. 2:15 Thurs. Mat. Best Seats $1.00

Saturday Mats. Best $1.50 Seats

Evenings 8:15 Best Seats $2.00

Lombardi, Ltd.

With Grace Valentine And Original N. Y. Cast

BUT FEW REMAIN

Amusements

SAM S. SHUBERT THEATRE — Messrs. Lee & J. J. Shubert, Managing Directors

Seats at Theatre and Little Building Eves. at 8:15. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2:15

"IT WINS"

"TAKE IT FROM ME"

"EVERYBODY'S SEEING IT."

Glorious Gowns, Dreamland and Set to Merry Music; Notable Cast of Principals and Deluxe Senate Chorus

Seats Now for Washington's Birthday

Amusements

SHUBERT MAJESTIC THEATRE — Messrs. Lee & J. J. Shubert, Managing Directors

Seats at Theatre and Little Building Eves. at 8 Sharp. Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2

"The Show That Put Pep in Pepper"

McIntyre & Heath

in the Big Scenic Musical Extravaganza

HELLO, ALEXANDER

Seats Now Selling for Washington's Birthday Matinee and Night

Amusements

Phone Beach 193 — SELWYN'S PARK SQ. — Eves. 8:15 Wed. & Sat. 2:15

THE BIGGEST LOVE STORY IN YEARS

SELWYN'S DRAMATIC TRIUMPH

The CROWDED HOUR

by EDGAR SELWYN and CHANNING POLLOCK

Amusements

HOLLIS — Eves. 8 Mats. Wed. & Sat. 2

"Uffa! Uffa's a Pip" THIS WEEK, Mr. and Mrs. Coburn present

The Better 'Ole

A COMEDY WITH MUSIC. CAST INCLUDES Edmund Gurney, Percy Brooks and Lyn Gordon

Tuesday—American Bridge Night

Amusements

TREMONT THEATRE — KLAW & ERLANGER, MANAGING DIRECTORS

Evgs. 8:15. Mats. Wed. & Sat. at 2:10

DAVID BELASCO'S Comedy Success

POLLY WITH A PAST

ONLY NEW ENGLAND ENGAGEMENT

Amusements

COPLEY — REPERTORY THEATRE

TONIGHT AT 8:15

HENRY JEWETT PLAYERS

In Graham Moffat's Scottish Comedy

Bunty Pulls the Strings

Eves. and Sat. Mat. 25c to $1.50.

Pop. Mats. Tues. & Thurs. Best Seats $1

Seats Down Town, Filene's and Jordan's

Amusements

WALDRON'S CASINO — BOSTON'S FUN CENTRE

STONE and PILLARD

THE DANCING DEMONS WITH SOCIAL MAIDS

Amusements

COLONIAL THEATRE — CHARLES J. RICH, Manager

Eves. at 8:15. Mats. Wed. & Sat. at 2:10

FRED STONE

in the MUSICAL EXTRAVAGANZA

JACK O' LANTERN

Amusements

CASTLE — 2:10—Daily—8:10 — Doors Open 1 and 7 — Tel. Beach 3300

The Castle Square Stock Company in SOME BABY

Prices: 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1

Box Office at Filene's, Where Tickets Are Sold and Delivered Immediately.

NEXT WEEK—"Camille"

Amusements

KEITH'S — Tel. Beach 1274

HYAMS & McINTYRE

Truly—SHATTUCK & O'NEIL—EMMA

FELIX ADLER

OLSEN & JOHNSON

McINTOSH & MAIDA, MASTERS & KRAFT, GARDINER TRIO, CHARLES & REX

LIVING WAR PICTURES

3 Shows Sat. 1:30—4:30—8

Amusements

GAYETY — MATINEE EVERY DAY — BURLESQUE & VAUDEVILLE

AL REEVES AND HIS BEAUTY SHOW

Amusements

TREMONT TEMPLE 2:15 and 8:15 — TWICE DAILY

International Film Success. LAST WEEK—Seats now for all performances

Dr. Selma Lagerlof's

THE GIRL from the MARSH CROFT

Big

Amusements

BOSTON THEATRE — Continuous

The 11th COMMANDMENT — LUCILLE STEWART, Murray & Mack, Morris McHugh, Alfred Latelle, Weston & Eline, Swift & Daley, Sennett Comedy, Fast Line, Variations.

Amusements

LOEW'S ORPHEUM

R. A. RODGE & CO. in a 1-Act Comedy; CLEVELAND & DOWERY; MAE WADSWORTH; BOSSINI TROUPE; COOMBS, WILLIAMS & LAKE; VIVIAN MARTIN in "You Never Saw Such a Girl."

Amusements

PARK — ALICE JOYCE — EMMETT MARSH

Amusements

ST. JAMES — BACK BAY'S Vaudeville and 1st Run Theatre

JOHN BARRYMORE in SHERLOCK HOLMES

Amusements

BOWDOIN SQ. THEATRE — Continuous

D. W. GRIFFITH'S "Romance of Happy Valley."

FRED STONE in "Under the Top." 5 Vaud. Acts

Amusements

LOEW'S GLOBE — VIVIAN MARTIN in "You Never Saw Such a Girl"; CHARLES RAY in "The Girl Dodger." Mat. Eves. 10c, 15c, 25c — Sennett Comedy.

Amusements

LANCASTER — AT MONTH STATION

Cecil De Mille's Production of "The Squaw Man." Dir. Globe in "The Hope Chest."

Amusements

HOWARD — Tempters Burlesque—Pretty Girls and Vaudeville, Always something doing, 1 till 11.

Amusements

MODERN — FIRST-RUN

Henry B. Walthall in "False Faces." Dorothy Gish in "Boots."

Amusements

GORDON'S OLYMPIA — MAE MacLAREN in "Easy Foot"—VAUDEVILLE

Amusements

BEACON — Henry B. Walthall in "FALSE FACES." DOROTHY GISH in "BOOTS"

Amusements

FENWAY — MASS. AVE. at BOYLSTON

D. W. GRIFFITH'S "The Romance of Happy Valley" WALLACE REID in "The Oath"

Amusements

SCOLLAY SQUARE

ALICE BRADY in "The Hollow of Her Hand"—VAUDEVILLE

ADVERTISE YOUR WANTS IN THE BOSTON AMERICAN

'DEMOCRACIES TO SET IDEALS OF WORLD'

By G. K. CHESTERTON,
The Noted English Essayist.

London, Feb. 15—The two pivots of the present crisis in all matters of political morality must be the idea of democracy and the idea of nationality.

This does not mean that we are all nationalists or even all democrats, but it means that we all know we have to deal with these things in some fashion or degree; that these are the two creeds which will be heralded into exams.

They are the two passwords in the crisis of peace, the two watchwords of those somber old history.

Now it is the modern misfortune that when we begin to think about humanity we generally cease to think about human nature.

Before I deal with the application of these ideas to each of the problems in the peace conference I should like to say something of what these phrases really are; not so much for reasoning as for men.

Democracy, the doctrine that every man is to listen and therefore a ruler of the city, has passed through processes common to most visions that are called dreams. When a revolutionary idea returns to the world it is first dismissed as too bad to be true and then dismissed as too good to be true.

Democracy is abused as an anarchy only fit or apes, and then afterward even more abused as a perfection only possible for angels.

America and France are the two great attempts at the democratic ideal; they are not democracies because of their Parliaments, but rather in spite of them.

It is no small popular triumph to have representative institutions and remain a republic.

But they do remain republics, not merely in form, but in feeling and whatever else they have been, they have not been found wanting in this war. They have done especially well where the world really expected them to be wanting—in a certain rigid rapidity of action.

AMERICANS CAME LIKE ANGELS.

Other nations, including my own, have earned a great and a growing glory in other ways during the war; but the two striking or startling examples of rapid and unrealistic action were in the French strategy at the beginning of the war and the American transport at the end of it.

The Marne has been called a miracle; and the next surprise of the world came when thousands of American troops appeared suddenly in the fields of France as if they had flown with wings as an apparition like the angels of Mons.

This first fact, especially that of the American mobilization, is worthy of more emphasis than is given to it. But it is emphasized here in order to propound two preliminary truths; first that democracy can be practical, and second that it is generally practical because it is patriotic.

We often say that democracy is the only form of government. It will be well to realize that nations are the only hope of democracy.

In other words, patriotism, so far from being opposed to popular government, will always be one of the virtues of popular government, which will always suffer by its suppression.

At present, with the people partially prostrate, it is only the rich who can afford to be international; and that is the first reason why the poor are generally nationals.

This elementary but neglected fact, in its full application to the problems of the present conference, can be followed up later; but its general application is obvious, especially touching the anarchic conditions of the new Russia or the new Germany.

When certain people in Eastern Europe say they can rule themselves, and set up some democratic institution in their land, they are talking sense, and saying something rational, even if they are doing something violent.

But when they offer to set up a democratic diplomacy over all lands, an international parliament of representatives, covering the whole world, then they are talking nonsense and dealing with they know not what.

They might set out diplomats, but they would certainly not send out democrats.

Students of Vassar Protest College Bill of Fare

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Feb. 15—Tired of the "persistent parade of the "bean stringy," "corkscrewing curry sauce" and "semi-industrial fish dinner," more than 300 students at Vassar College have presented to the trustees a protest against the college fare, and demanded an investigation of food conditions there. They suggest in their petition the appointment of a trained dietitian.

The tuition fee at Vassar has been increased $140 a year and in view of this fact the girls say they believe they are entitled to better "rations."

SEE SIGNS OF VENDETTA IN SHOOTING

Woonsocket, R. I., Feb. 17—Francesco Bianeri and Oscar Peneri were arraigned before Judge Charles H. McPhee in Police Court today on charge of shooting Giovanni Cola at his home in Social street late Friday night. The mill quarter of the city is stirred over the affair, which bears all the earmarks of a Vendetta.

Chief of Police Fred E. Coe asked to have the men held for the grand jury on charge of attempted murder. Their victim will recover, it is thought.

According to Chief of Police Coe the men held by him visited the Cola home, where they had followed Hugo Bozzi, a friend of Cola. The shot which struck Giovanni Cola in the side was fired through a window, evidently at Bozzi. It just missed striking Isolina Cola, a brother of the victim. Bozzi was unhurt.

The alleged assailants escaped to their homes a few Rianeri stood off the police at the point of a gun for more than twelve hours. Several shots were exchanged in the early morning when the police, after maneuvering all night, suddenly closed in on the house. Peneri was captured by a daring patrolman who plunkered to the roof of his house and lowered himself by the window to the man's bedroom with a rope. Then with a pistol in each hand he leaped into the room and made his man prisoner.

Both of the prisoners accuses the other of committing the crime. The motive for the shooting is a mystery to the police.

U. S. RELIEF EXPEDITION LEAVES FOR NEAR EAST

New York, Feb. 17—The largest war relief expedition that has left here in many months, is en route to the Near East today on the transport Mt. Vernon. The party consists of 250 physicians, surgeons, nurses, dentists, teachers and chemists. They take with them $3,500,000 worth of supplies.

Vincent Estate $10,000

Virgil A. Charles of Boston has been appointed administrator of the estate of Ann G. Vincent of Somerville. The estate is valued at $10,000.

HONOR MEMORY OF DEAD PRIEST

More than one thousand parishioners of St. Mary's of the Assumption Church, Brookline, paid tribute to the memory of their late assistant pastor, the Rev. Fr. John P. Sheehan, marching behind the hearse bearing his remains from Beacon and Park streets to the rectory on Linden street, Brookline.

Preceding the hearse were the Rev. Fr. Michael T. McManus, P. R.; the Rev. Aloysius Finn and the Rev. Bernard O'Kane. The cortege proceeded past the house where Mrs. Katherine Sheehan, the priest's aged mother, is confined with relatives.

At the rectory throngs of men, women and children, of all denominations, stood with bared heads as the body was borne into the rectory. The body-bearers were Daniel H. Lacy, Sealeiman Walter J. Cusick, president of the Brookline Catholic Club, which Fr. Sheehan organized; John H. Moran, G. K., Brookline Council, K. of C., of which Fr. Sheehan was chaplain; Walter R. Carroll, Dr. Charles J. Kirkham, Thomas B. McCaffery, Edward A. McKittrick and Simon J. Savino.

The body was taken into the church this afternoon and the office for the dead was chanted by the priests.

A guard of honor will remain with the body tonight and tomorrow morning, when a solemn high mass will be celebrated, the body will lie in state until the services.

The mass is to be celebrated by Bishop Fox. Fr. Michael T. McManus, P. R. Interment will take place at Holyhood Cemetery.

DUDLEY FIELD MALONE FAINTS AFTER SPEECH

New York, Feb. 17—Dudley Field Malone fainted here at the close of an address in which he attacked the prosecution of cases under the espionage act. It was his first public address since his discharge from the United States Navy. The meeting was held at the Century Theatre under the auspices of the National Civil Liberties Bureau and was called for the purpose of determining the release of political prisoners and the repeal of the espionage act.

Wife Meets Husband After 15 Years; Has Him Arrested

Chicago, Feb. 17.—After police and detectives had searched for John M. Barnay to enforce payment of $7,500 alimony he walked into a restaurant and took a seat opposite a table occupied by his former wife and son.

"Hello, John," said the woman.

"Why, why Florence, it's you!"

"Yes, it's me, John. I want you to meet your son," and she introduced John, Jr., whom the father had not seen since he was six months old.

She played for time and slipped a note to a waiter to call the police.

When placed under arrest, Barnay said:

"I'll fix it up with you if you'll just give me time."

"No," she answered, "I've been looking for you fifteen years and I'm going to play safe."

Lift Out Your Corns

ICE-MINT
THE NEW DISCOVERY ENDS
All Foot Troubles

This new discovery, made from a Japanese product, is certainly a wonder the way it draws out inflammation from a pain of swollen, burning, aching feet. It takes the soreness right out, then the corn or callous shrivels and lifts off.

Ice-Mint soothes soft corns or corns between the toes, just shrivel up and lift off on way. It is wonderful. Just think! Not one bit of pain while applying Ice-Mint or afterwards. It doesn't even irritate the surrounding skin.

You will never have to cut a corn again and run the risk of blood poison. Say good-by to your old corn salves, plasters and bunching tapes, for that pet corn of yours is sure to be a "goner" if it ever feels the magic touch of Ice-Mint.

It imparts such a delightful, soothing, cooling feeling to the feet that you will sick with relief.

Ice-Mint is the real Japanese secret for fine, healthy little feet. It prevents foot odors and keeps them sweet and comfortable. It is greatly appreciated by women who wear high heel shoes.

Just ask in any drug store for a little Ice-Mint and give your poor suffering, tired, swollen feet the treat of their lives. It costs little and there is nothing better.—Advertisement.

GETS REVENGE AFTER WAITING FOR 25 YEARS

Milwaukee, Feb. 17.—A few nights ago a city official was stopped by a stranger on the street and hit a blow on the jaw which sent him to dreamland. When he recovered, his watch, money and jewelry were intact, but his jaw was sore so he asked the police to locate his assailant. A phone call was received by one of the newspapers and a husky voice announced the speaker was the one who administered the knockout. Twenty-five years ago, he said, the city official had "cleaned him up" for walking across the former's lawn. He evened the score.

Named Eames Executor

The will of Charles A. Eames of Framingham has been allowed. Herbert S. Eames of Framingham, a son, has been appointed as executor. The estate is valued at $16,000.

JUST THINK OF CADOMENE

When You Find You Are Losing Out in the Game of Life.

Worn-Out, Nervous Men and Weak, Bloodless, Anaemic Women Have Found New Strength and Vigor in Taking Cadomene Tablets.

A well-known writer on physical culture says: "You cannot run a high-powered engine without fuel. You cannot get much speed without plenty of steam. You cannot get up much steam without plenty of coal and a perfectly working furnace (body). Similarly, in your own case, the internal "works" must be sound and working properly."

That tired feeling—do you know what it means? It means that digestion and nutrition are, lacking. It means that your blood and nerves are impoverished. It means that slow but sure decline in your vitality will surely ensue and real sickness will overtake you, unless you bestir yourself in overcoming the weakness of the organs responsible. This is not written to frighten. It reality it expresses logical facts. Cadomene Tablets, the favorite prescription of a great physician, are made, and sold by druggists for people who need help for nature's forces, owing to ignorance, neglect or dissipation of one kind or another. Every package is guaranteed to please or money back.—Advertisement.

MERCHANTS STAMPS — TUESDAY All Day — DOUBLE — Merchants Legal Stamps — MERCHANTS STAMPS

This Means an Additional 5% Discount on Every Dollar You Spend Here

THE STORE OF PROGRESS
GILCHRIST CO.

SUBURBAN MOTION PICTURE DIRECTORY

BRIGHTON
THE BRIGHTON — Baby Marie Osborne in "The Cave of Destiny." Lightning Raider.

DORCHESTER
FRANKLIN PARK — John Barrymore in "Here Comes the Bride," in 6 Acts. 4 Acts of Vaudeville.

DORCHESTER
STRAND (Upham's Corner) — D. W. GRIFFITH Presents "Romance of Happy Valley." CONSTANCE TALMADGE in U. S. Lady's Number.

EVERETT
BROADWAY THEATRE — Mon. & Tues., Clara Kimball Young in "Eyes of Youth." Allene in "The Lure of Adventure." Weekly reel.

EAST BOSTON
CENTRAL SQ. — WILLIAM FARNUM in "For Freedom." CARLYLE BLACKWELL in "Courage for Two."

EAST CAMBRIDGE
INSTITUTE — Mon. & Tues., all star cast pictures, including serial, comedy and weekly news.

LYNN
ROLLER SKATING AFTERNOON and EVENING Casino Hall Lynn, Mass

HYDE PARK
HYDE PARK THEATRE — TOM MOORE in "Just for the Night." Other pictures.

MEDFORD
FELLSWAY — Mon. & Tues., Mary Markham in "The Weaker Sex." Confession." Ford weekly.

ORIENT HEIGHTS
ORIENT GARDENS — Mon. & Tues., Ethel Clayton in "Woman's Weapon," also Sennett comedy.

QUINCY
MAIN ST. MARKET — Official War Review; Gloria Swanson in "Her Decision"; Frank Keenan in "Loaded Dice." Triangle Comedy and others.

ROXBURY
DUDLEY — 2.30 and 7.30 — This supreme Nazimova picture is under the direction of Albert Capellani. "Eyes for Eyes." Elsie Ferguson in "Mis' Nelly of Virginia." Hazelnut.

SOMERVILLE
OLYMPIA UNION SQ. — Thos. Chaplin in "Shoulder Arms" Evelyn Nesbit in "Woman, Woman"

SOUTH BOSTON
CONCORD HALL THEATRE — Mon. and Tues., All Star Cast, "What Shall We Do With Him?"

WAKEFIELD
WAKEFIELD THEATRE — Mon. and Tues., Chas. Ray in "The Law of the North."

Rare Bargains in Every Department

Jordan Marsh Company
Great Basement Store
The Famous Store Within a Store
For the Sale of the Less Expensive Merchandise

Many Small Lots Not Listed Here

For Tuesday—These New Bargain Lots From The ANNIVERSARY OF A VERY SUCCESSFUL SALE

A year ago our Great Basement Store closed out the stock of the **W. & A. Bacon Co.** It was one of the most phenomenal stock sales ever recorded by any Boston store. This year we're out to excel this wonderful event, and the sale will continue for two weeks. On account of lack of space in our Great Basement Store, and to prevent congestion, we shall advertise only a few departments each day, but every day, even to the last one, the bargains offered will be just as extraordinary as on the first day of the sale.

Each Day of the Sale We Shall Offer
Many New, Fresh Bargain Lots
Making a Total for the Two Weeks of About 1000 Different Items

These Bargains on Sale Tuesday

Woman's 15.00 & 16.50 Afternoon Dresses, satins and taffetas **10.98**
Women's 12.50 Poplin Dresses, regular and extra sizes, sizes 40 to 52 ..... **7.98**
Women's 18.98 Taffeta Silk & Satin Dresses, sizes 35 to 44 ..... **14.98**
Women's 22.50 Taffeta Silk Dresses, new spring models **18.98**
Women's 18.00 to 20.00 Jersey and Serge Spring Dresses **14.98**
Women's 16.50 All Wool Serge Dresses, tailored models **12.50**
2.00 Thompson Glove-fitting Corsets, white broche and tafetas **2.49**
4.00 Thompson Glove-fitting Corsets, sizes 24 to 36 ..... **1.98**
2.50 Thompson Glove-fitting Corsets, med. bust.. **1.29**
Brassieres, samples, hook front and back, sizes 34 to 44 ..... **50c**
50c Moires, in all colors. Yard **29c**
75c Mesh Veilings, all colors. Yard **39c**
50c Mesh Veilings. Sale price, yard **25c**
30c to 50c Ball Yarn, odd shades and qualities. Ball **12½c**
49c Stamped Pillow Tops and Backs **19c**
50c to 1.50 Stamped Pieces, slightly soiled ..... **10c to 59c**

Misses' 25.00 Odd Suits, all wool cloths **18.50**
Misses' 18.50 Taffeta Silk Dresses, new Spring models **14.75**
Misses' 22.50 New Taffeta Silk and Georgette Combination Dresses **18.50**
Misses' 29.50 Odd Coats, wool novelty cloths, some fur trimmed **19.75**
Boys' 8.50 Mixture Suits, all wool cheviots **5.00**
Boys' 6.50 Military Suits, all-wool khaki **2.95**
Boys' Blouses, light patterns, sizes 7 to 14 yrs **69c**
Boys' 1.00 Shirts, percale, light colors **59c**
Men's and Women's 2.00 Umbrellas, of American taffetas, 26 and 28 inch **1.50**
Men's 1.50 Umbrellas, fast black, also 26-inch **98c**
Children's 1.25 Real Mocha Gloves, gray shades **95c**
Women's 65c White Silk Gloves, 16 button **49c**
Women's 10c Handkerchiefs, embroidered. Sale price **5c**
Women's Handkerchiefs, embroidered, samples, 10c, 12½c and 15c **50c**
1.25 White Flouncings, 45 inch, on voile **75c**
79c White Flouncings, 45 inch, on voile **55c**
39c Corset Cover Edges, 18 inches wide. Yd **25c**

3.00 All-Wool Navy Blue Suiting Serge, 54-inch **1.90**
3.25 All-Wool Coating Poplin, 54 inches wide **2.65**
1.00 Navy Blue Storm Serge, 36 inches wide **69c**
4.00 All-Wool Velour, 54-inch, navy blue **2.79**
2.00 Fine Imperial Serge, 42-inch, all wool, navy **1.65**
1.00 Black Storm Serge, all inches wide **69c**
25c Talcum Powder, 1 lb. Sale price **12c**
50c Picture Frames, white ivory **25c**
10c Packages of Shampoo Powders. Sale price **4c**
2.25 Bread Trays, Sheffield silver plated, plain, pierced **1.98**
5.00 Knife and Fork Sets, triple silver plated. Set of 6 of each **2.98**
50c Tea settes, heavy silver plated, sunon style **35c**
2.00 Steak Sets, two pieces, steel and celluloid handles **1.39**
1.25 Sugar and Cream Sets, sterling silver deposit **89c**
Steel Knives, celluloid handles, eight seconds of 5.00 table grade. Doz **3.75**
29c Grape Fruit Knives, ... **19c**
39c (Pair) Salt and Pepper Shakers, glass, silver-plated tops. Pair **25c**

2.50 Flowered Heatherbloom Petticoats, navy, black and **1.79**
1.50 Gloria Sateen Petticoats, flowered patterns.. **1.00**
98c Jersey Knit Petticoats, white and colors **69c**
Misses' and Children's 3.98 to 5.00 Sweaters, odd lots **2.98**
Men's Heavy Cotton Union Suits, also 40 largest; seconds of 1.50 grade **89c**
Men's "Poroseknit" Shirts and Drawers, white; seconds of 1.25 grade **65c**
Men's 2.00 and 2.50 Cotton and Lisle Union Suits, sum- **1.15**
2.50 Fine Voile Curtains, hemstitched, lace edge **1.85**
2.50 Marquisette Curtains, Dutch style, 2-piece set **1.58**
1.50 Voile Curtains, hemstitched, with lace edge **98c**
3.50 Fine Voile Curtains, white, Dutch section wide. Pair **2.48**
1.50 Figured Drapery Armure, reversible, double width. **98c**
3.00 Tapestry Furniture Covering, 50-inch. Yard.. **1.98**
2.00 Crushed Mohair Furniture Plush **1.44**
7.00 Lace Arabian Window Panels, each **4.78**
8.00 Repp Portieres, with dura tapestry borders. Pr.. **4.98**
3.50 Couch Covers, reversable. Our price **1.98**

DEAR FOLKS:

IN this letter I take great pleasure in introducing to you Mr. Thomas E. Wilson, President of Wilson & Company, Chicago, who, in the business world is trying honestly to live up to the ideals that Abraham Lincoln implanted in our individual life.

Mind you, "associate-workers" to him means every worker in his organization—members of the official family, office-workers and day-laborers. They are all alike to him.

He measures a man or woman by his or her character—his or her devotion to duty—his or her conception of the meaning of brotherhood and sisterhood of men and women.

He has no frills about him.

He is plain Thomas E. Wilson—worker and man—with a heart that pumps real red blood through his veins and makes him love his fellow-workers—makes him thoughtful and kind—makes him anxious to serve them in every possible way—makes him long for their happiness and contentment.

Mr. Wilson was the head of another great business three years ago, but he did not own the business.

He rose from the ranks of the humblest workers in the organization to the presidency thereof.

He climbed to success without incurring the envy of any of his associate-workers.

He has played the part of a real man all through his business life.

He has always had the admiration and affection of fellow-workers because he has always played fair with all of them.

His present associate-workers tell me, many of whom have known him and worked alongside of him for twenty-five years, that he is the same Thomas E. Wilson—the same genuine, whole-souled, kindly, considerate man he was when he was earning $20.00 a week.

Financial success has not turned his head; it has not closed his heart, in its sympathy and its action, for the good and the comfort and the contentment and happiness of those who work with him and for him.

Had he been content with mere money success he would not have undertaken the development of the business in the same line to which he has given his undivided attention for over a quarter of a century.

If money only appealed to him, he would have stepped into middle life a very successful man—with the power to buy everything he or the members of his family might wish—with the power to gratify his charitable inclinations and to satisfy any fads or fancies that he might adopt.

Three years ago an opportunity came to him that meant no more money to him, but did mean a lot more of hard work if he accepted it and its responsibilities.

He decided to accept.

He saw an opportunity to be of greater service to his fellows than ever before in his life.

He welcomed the chance to develop and direct a business bearing his own name. He has ideals that are intimately associated with his name and with no other.

Operating under his own name — assuming personal responsibility for the adoption and execution of broad, humane and unusual standards of business practice—gave him new inspiration in his work.

It was only three years ago in March of this year that Mr. Wilson gave his name and his energy and his ability and his heart to the business of Wilson & Company. I asked many people while I was in Chicago what was the name of the business firm to which the name Wilson & Company had been given.

Not a single one could tell me.

All they knew was that the name Wilson & Company had become very well and very favorably known and that it stands for the highest ideals in business practice—that it stands for the highest principles in service to the public—facts that are borne out by the statement that the business has more than trebled in volume in three years.

Everywhere I go — and I meet hundreds of people every week of my life — I hear that Mr. Wilson puts more heart and soul into business than any man they ever heard of.

Chicago people are very proud of the name Wilson. They think that Wilson & Company, by their methods and the heart they put into the business, are adding to the fame of Chicago.

It is a splendid test of a man's character and his popularity when his home-town people speak up for him enthusiastically and affectionately as Chicago people do speak of Thomas E. Wilson.

You know, folks, that this is true, don't you?

You have examples in your home-town, haven't you?

You know the men and women in your community who play the game of life on the level.

And how you like them, don't you?

But the best certificate of character that any man can receive is that given to him by the men and women with whom he comes in daily contact.

I like Mr. Wilson personally very much. I think he is liked very much by everybody that meets him—but I have not formed my impressions of him through personal contact.

I haven't seen Mr. Wilson often or very long at a time. I don't think I have spoken to him as many words as there are in this letter to you.

What I have learned about him I have learned by asking people in Chicago and in other cities; but I got my real look into his heart and his character and his business principles by mingling with his associate-workers.

They say, with deepest personal affection that, when Mr. Wilson established the Wilson & Company business, he gave them the first real opportunity of their lives.

They say that they regard him as their personal friend, and that they hope they will be able to work for him as long as they live.

How about you folks? Don't you like very much a man of this type?

In my letter next week I will tell you about the man who employs the men workers in the Wilson & Company plant.

Sincerely, William C. Freeman,
131 E. 23rd St., New York City.

SOME FELLOWS ARE SO LAZY IT MAKES THEM TIRED TO FORM AN OPINION

Monday **BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS** Feb. 17

INDOOR SPORTS

Copyright, 1919, by International Feature Service, Inc. Registered U. S. Patent Office.

By TAD

Copyright, 1919, by International Feature Service, Inc.

SILK-HAT HARRY

I LEARNT YOU ALL YOU EVER KNEW - SHE ANSWERED CHA I KNOW -
NOW HERES WHERE THE BIG SMASH COMES - GET THIS -
67TH VERSE
YOU'LL FIND JUMPING IN THE BETHOWAY
INDOOR SPORTS
TRYING TO DO YOUR WORK WHILE A SONG WRITER CHIRPS HIS LATEST TO YOUR BOSS
THE ONLY WAY TO STOP HIM IS WITH AN AXE - AND I CANT IMAGINE WHERE I CAN GET ONE
WE HAD ONE LIKE THAT IN OUR OFFICE LAST WEEK AN' WE HAD TO START A FIRE TO LOSE HIM
WHY DONT THEY KILL THAT WHILE IT'S YOUNG
NOW YOU ARE THE WOMAN WITH THE VIOLET LAMPS IN THE IAIE ARE YOU NOT
OH DO MI NO THERES NO VIOLET IN MY EYES
I'LL HAVE TO GET AN ENEVFUL
I CANT SEE ANY VIOLET FROM HERE — MAYBE IF I GET UP CLOSER I COULD SEE
OPEN THEM UP WIDE, FLORENCE
ALECKTHANDER!!!
YOURE A DAWSONG DANGEROUT G-A-L

These Cartoons in Animated Form Appea ring Exclusively in the Hearst News Film.

HOWARD McRAE AND PARKER MINGLE AT CENTRAL A. C.

By NICK FLATLEY.

A FIGHT that has caused as much comment as any battle pulled off hereabouts for some time, features the coming back to life of the Central A. C. this evening. Charley Parker, with a string of wins longer than Ty Cobb's batting average, meets Howard McRae in the twelve-rounder. McRae, who has been in the service, is the classiest battler that Hammering Charles has yet encountered.

Parker has waded through the lists of local lightweights in most impressive fashion, and, if he can pin a defeat on McRae, will find himself in line for shots at some of the good boys in the class. The McRae party, before he enlisted, was one pretty sweet boxer and a good hitter. He claims to have lost none of his old stuff during his layoff, and, if his claim be true, he will give Mister Parker a most interesting time of it.

After a very promising start in the ring, McRae was forced to rest on account of sickness. This came at a time when he seemed undoubtedly headed for the top of his class. Life in the navy has improved his health wonderfully, and he has been forced to train faithfully to make the weight. Both boys have been posted forfeits binding them to make 130 pounds ringside.

Parker will go into the tilt a favorite, as many of the shrewd players of form believe that his long layoff will militate against McRae. That individual, however, has other opinions in the matter, which, of course, augurs well for the scrap. Parker is extra anxious to win, as he is signed for match with Phlinney Boyle Saturday at Lawrence. A defeat tonight would probably cause the matchmaker of that club to change his card.

The bout should be a big drawing card and prove a life-saver for the club, which has not had anything like the best of luck since its inception.

Eagan and Dyer to Box at Armory Show.

THE falling through of the Doyle-Dyer bout has really provided the Armory Club with a swell attraction for tomorrow night. Joe Eagan has been substituted for Doyle, and, consequently two of the fastest middleweights in the well known business will show. The Australian has been a consistently good performer since coming to this country.

Joseph Eagan Esq., has not been at all consistent, but none the less, is a really great boxer when he feels that way. Some of his fights against good men have been remarkable performances, and if it hadn't been for his temperamental failings, he would undoubtedly be a champion by this time.

Both battlers are clever, and fairly good hitters. Both, too, have the busy method of battling that makes a mill attractive. Dyer, perhaps, packs a little more punch than Eagan, but Joseph can make up for that with his additional cleverness. There are few better boxers among the big boys than he.

Eagan has been training regularly for a couple of weeks, anxious to get back into active battling. Dyer, too, who has been matched with Ted Lewis in the past month, is ready for the battle of his young life. He also has several good new songs along with him.

* * *

Plenty of Battling on Washington's Birthday.

THREE spicy battles are on the books for this part of the world on Saturday. Chick Hayes, now of Boston, and Frankie Brown of New York swap jabs at Portland, Parker and Vera box at Lawrence and Al Shubert meets Tommy Shea down New Bedford way.

The Hayes and Brown affair promises to be a regular mill, as the New Yorker is one of the cleverest featherweights in the trade, and has a couple of drawn decisions with champion Herman to his credit. Hayes and Shubert, who boxed recently in Lawrence, have been matched for a return conflict at Manchester a week from tomorrow. Several clubs are now busy trying to sign up Pete Hermon for a mix on the winner of this match. At present it looks as if the Manchester outfit might turn the trick, though the bout is one that should not be overlooked by one of the Boston clubs.

Frankie (Young) Britt steps out tonight in Philadelphia, where he tackles Ralph Brady of Syracuse. The latter young man has come along like a race horse recently, and should make Britt step some to get away with the go. The bout, though, is one of those short no-decision affairs.

Levinsky on with Greb

Buffalo, Feb. 17.—Battling Levinsky and Harry Greb meet in a ten-round bout here tonight.

RINGSIDE'S SELECTIONS.

Tommy Marks to beat Freddie Welsh.
Willie Roberts to beat Young Bruno.
Freddie Williams to beat Willie Jones.
Charley Parker to beat Howard McRae.

TWO AND THREE
PUTTING THE NEXT ONE OVER
WITH "BUGS" BAER.

WOODY is now popping along on the nimble ocean. He is gyrating back to pipe if the Willard-Dempsey articles contain his fourteen points. Between the Peace Conference and the heavyweight championship, Woody is busier than a farmhand on market day. Soon as he scampers down the gangplank of the George Washington, the proxy will clatter on board the Weehawken ferry scow to lamp the official documents. Then he will ramble back to Europe and grab the international situation by the ears.

IF the job gets besier, Woodrow will have to skip stops like a Neponset avenue motorman. When interviewed by our phoneless wire, the President had nothing to say, and didn't say it. That's where he differs from Bill Bryan like a barroom tenor and Jennie Lind. Get this right. One sapp up in Meriden, Ct., buzzed his girl that she had a voice like Jennie Lind and she knocked that for a row of Hottentot villages and suburbs. She thought he meant a cantaloupe.

JENNIE was a singer. Anyway, the President had nothing to say and he didn't say it. When Bill has nothing to say he always says it. He is an orator. An orator is a bird who talks all day Tuesday just because it's Tuesday. Bill was going to bust out into vaudeville, but the orchestra pulled a no-beer-no-work strike just in time. Although the President didn't split any goop about the big shindig, we could pipe from the way that he had his high hat polished that he figured Jack to knock Jess flatter than a Childs order of wheat cakes.

ON the other mitt, the democratic manner in which Woody hung over the rail on the third day out convinced us that if Willard ever stretches a knuckle out on Dempsey's profile the world is going to look very horizontal to Jack for about ten seconds. He will be wearing the water bucket for a hat and powdering his nose with a sponge.

CLEMENCEAU, Balfour, Lloyd George and the other outfielders on Woody's team were too busy winding up the political barbed wire to chirp much about the two-mnn war on the Weehawken ferry. Clemenceau is a good judge of fighters, having managed a couple of million during the recent tournament. He is much opposed to no-decision fights. If Yanks fight in America like they did in Europe, Clemenceau dopes that the boys in the five and ten dollar benches will get an eyeful. He doesn't buzz whether he means fighting or resin. That's what makes him a statesman.

THE Chink envoy to the convention hasn't anything to warble, either in Chinese of Weehawken. His papers were swiped while coming through Japan. He doesn't know who to suspect. A few years ago he would have blamed Doc Cook. This Weehawken ferry business has the slant-eyed diplomat more puzzled than a visitor looking for oysters in an oyster stew. He ain't sure whether it is a naval skirmish or a land riot.

BALFOUR thinks that Willard will hang Dempsey over the hawsers like the week's wash. Don't know how Balfy gets that way. You can't blame it on the hot sun in the Winter time.

WHEN surrounded in Holland, the Kaiser was boring holes in his wooden shoes to let his corns out. Refused to hoot anything about the big scuffle unless he got a medal for it. The old boy ain't been himself since he took him home for his 4200 uniforms. He wanted to know what the Mongolian envoy meant by going to Paris via Japan. Says that ain't no way to get to Paris. Kaiser ought to know. He is an authority on ways of not getting to Paree.

PROMINENT Bullshevists are knocked coo-coo by the Willard-Dempsey thing. The fact that each man has an equal chance is what makes them goofy. They don't do things that way in Bullrussia.

UNTIL the President decides what twig he is going to light on for the Summer, dope on the big tussle is going to get all wet. The proxy is going to touch second in Washington and then gallop to third base in Europe. Dempsey and Willard will start training in their limousines so as to be in shape when the referee calls 'em to the centre of the purse for their twenty-round auditing of the gate receipts.

Ring experts here figure that Woody won't sprain his chance of a third crack at free White House coal by not being present when Jess and Jack try to knock each other absent.

HARVARD CREW MAY TAKE ON CORNELL

There might have been a Harvard-Yale-Princeton race on the Thames this year had the distance been cut down a mile.

The four-mile course at New London just about answers the purposes for two crews, the first three-quarters of a mile having shallow water to either side, which would prevent a third crew from pulling on even terms with its two competitors.

Cornell, when facing was new at New London, shared the Harvard and Yale brush for a couple of years, but since that time the two New England college crews have rowed without a third competitor.

The Harvard rowing committee is now considering whether a third race will be booked for the varsity.

It is believed that Cornell will be taken on in May, probably at the Spring day regatta on May 31, that is if the break between Harvard in track and field followed in all branches of athletics.

The Crimson and Ithacans in recent years have not appeared to be entirely at harmony in booking engagements.

There are 104 men out for the varsity crew, the first and second eights being known as the varsity. Captain Whitman is stroking the 1st crew, and Johnny Borland the 2d eight.

TUFTS DIAMOND SQUAD TO START NEXT WEEK

Tufts baseball candidates have been ordered to report for duty next week. The battery men are making good progress in their work in the cage and will be in the best of trim for the regulars. Robertson looms up as the team's leading hurler. Mullin and Callahan will divide backstop duty and hope is held out that Owen Keefe will be out of the service in time to perform this Spring.

Coach Dick Andersen will be on first, Ring on second, Regan or Fallon on third, Baker at short, with Gland, Andrews and Kirtstein slated to remain the nine's first string trio of outfielders. There is a wealth of promising new material and perhaps a couple of the regulars will be crowded to the bench.

HORWEEN AND FLOWER REPORT TO HUGH DUFFY

Arnold Horween and Hank Flower, members of Harvard's 1920 football eleven, have reported to Coach Hugh Duffy of the baseball squad. Both are pitchers, and stand excellent chances of becoming regulars.

Pennsylvania has cancelled its Patriot's Day game at Cambridge. It voted the booking too early.

N. & G. ATHLETES CLASH WITH ROXBURY LATIN

Two schoolboy meets were carded for decision this afternoon. Noble & Greenough and Roxbury Latin were to meet on Soldiers' Field, Brookline, while the intermediates of High School of Commerce and West Roxbury High were booked to clash in the former's gymnasium.

Sport News by Wire

Bellaire Heights, Fla.—Alex Smith and George Smith, Wyanzis, won their fourball from Joe Schlichting and C. G. Wade, Detroit, 5 and 4.

Pinehurst, N. C.—Elmer French, New York, and Buddy Gow, Pinehurst, defeated Errol Walker, Asheville, and George McLean, Forest City, 3 and 2.

Kansas City—George Nicolai of Kansas City won the International wing shot championship, 98 out of 100. W. W. Roofe of Butte, Mont., was second, 95 out of 100.

New York, Feb. 17.—The Eastern Association for skating championships will be held at Lake Placid, February 21-22. The card: 220 yards, 440 yards, half-mile, mile and three miles.

Pinehurst, N. C.—Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd, Pittsburgh, defeated Mrs. John D. Chapman, Greenwich, in the finals in the St. Valentine golf tournament, 6 and 4.

CAMP HINGHAM MEET CALLS OUT 500

With some 500 entrants for five events, there promises to be some spirited competition in the outdoor athletic meet to be staged at Camp Hingham tomorrow afternoon.

The Camp Hingham affair is a part of the Army and Navy athletic meet for championship of the Northeastern Department of the Y. M. C. A. comprising every army and naval camp in New England.

Each camp is to conduct its meet before February 21. The names of the first ten winners in each event, with time, distance, etc., will be sent to Boston headquarters and there compared with the records from the other camps.

Every effort is being made to have the Camp Hingham affair a big one, and camp officials are co-operating with "Y" Athletic Director Richard H. Simmons to this end. To further increase the interest camp prizes will be awarded to the first two in each event.

Lieutenant R. W. Erhardt, who is in charge of the wire in athletics at Hingham, will be master of ceremonies, assisted by "Y" Athletic Director Richard B. Simmons, Ensign Arthur P. Anderson, Athletic Officer Charles G. Miller and Ernest T. Jenkins.

PATERSON COMING FOR GAME WITH FORE RIVER

The crack Paterson, N. J. soccer football team, minus Joe Fore (ivee) F. C. eleven at Quincy, Washington's birthday. Nat Clarke, formerly of the champion Bethlehems, and George Post, late of the Scottish-Americans, will be in the Fore River soccer combination in the big game in France, are two notable additions to the Paterson outfit. George Lamie of Southbridge, will referee Saturday's game, and George H. Brady of Fall River, will serve as U. S. F. A. delegate.

HARVARD FENCING TEAM TO HAVE BUSY SEASON

The Harvard fencing schedule calls for ten engagements. Eddie Day will captain and coach the foilsmen. The schedule:

February 21, Harvard Y. M. C. A., at Cambridge.
March 1, Pennsylvania, at Cambridge.
March 5, Amherst, at Amherst.
March 8, Bowdoin, at Cambridge.
March 10, meets and tournament, at Cambridge.
March 14, Yale, at New Haven.
March 19, Columbia, at Cambridge.
April 4, Intercollegiates, at Cambridge.
April 9, Kreuz, at Boston.
April 11, Intercollegiates at New York.

YALE'S CRACK GUARD IS TO PERFORM NEXT FALL

New Haven, Ct., Feb. 17.—Cartel Hall has returned to Yale, but does not plan to swing a sword in competition until next Fall. The Hawaiian is one of the best guards Yale has had in late years. He left college two years ago and was just recently discharged from Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

NIGHTINGALE IS TO RUN IN WANAMAKER SPECIAL

New York, Feb. 17.—Gordon T. Nightingale, New Hampshire State College is another star addition to the Redman Wanamaker one and a half mile special at the Millrose meet in Madison Square Garden February 23.

Big School Game Wednesday

The Milton Academy hockey seven, which has won nine straight games this season, battles Middlesex School at Milton, Wednesday afternoon in its big game of the campaign.

Bouts at Wakefield A. A.

The Wakefield A. A. puts on its regular monthly open amateur boxing tournament tonight. The entry list is a spicy one.

Where to Skate

Ashmont	Fair
Billings Field	Fair
Common	Fair
Dorchester Park	Fair
Franklin Field	Fair
Gibson Playground	Fair
Jamaica Pond	Good
Mystic Playground	Good
Neponset Playground	Fair
Norfolk Street Playground	Fair
No. Brighton Playground	Fair
Pierce Field	Fair
Public Garden	Fair
Smith Pond, Hyde Park	Fair
Strandway	Fair
Sullivan Square	Good
Wm. Eustis	Fair
Wood Island	Good
Spy Pond	Good
Cottage Street	Good
Randolph Street	Fair
Orient Height	Good
Charlesbank	Poor
Columbus Avenue	Fair
Roslindale	Fair

Christy Mathewson Returns From "Over There"

New York, Feb. 17.—Captain Christy Mathewson of the chemical warfare branch of the American Expeditionary forces, returned here today from Brest aboard the transport Rotterdam.

Mathewson withheld comment regarding his future plans in regard to baseball, saying he had no ideas how soon he would be mustered out of the service. He left here for Washington.

TRAINING TABLE TO BE RE-ESTABLISHED IN 1920

The departure of the training tables at Harvard this Spring is only temporary, according to Major Fred W. Moore, graduate manager of Harvard A. A. The scheme has been adopted because it was thought the practice was wrong, but as an economical measure. In the accompanying picture the crew's stay at Red Top be reduced from three weeks to five days.

RUSH QUITS AND BILL ROPER TO COACH TIGERS

PRINCETON'S FOOTBALL CARD.
Oct. 4—Trinity at Princeton.
Oct. 11—Lafayette at Princeton.
Oct. 18—Fordham at Princeton.
Oct. 25—Colgate at Princeton.
Nov. 1—West Virginia at Princeton.
Nov. 8—Harvard at Princeton.
Nov. 15—Yale at New Haven.

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 17.—W. W. Roper, '03, has been appointed coach of the Princeton football team for next Fall.

The schedule is already completed, but is being withheld from publication because of possible readjustment.

Roper succeeds Speedy Rush, who declined to return as coach because of his growing business interests.

The football prospects are the brightest in years. As indicated last Fall, the Tigers have many players of ability and quite a few additional veterans have returned from the service.

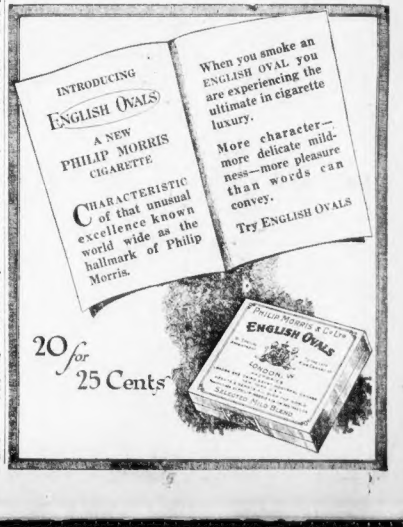
The schedule will be the hardest in years, with games with West Virginia and Colgate appearing as new features here. The game with Dartmouth has been dropped.

BRITT AND BRADY MEET IN RING IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Feb. 17. — Ralph Brady, Syracuse lightweight, who recently stood off Lew Tendler in a ten-round bout, meets Frankie (Young) Britt, New England Whirlwind, at the Olympia A. A. tonight. Allie Nacie and Eddie Wagond mix in the semi-final.

JIM REGAN SIGNED TO MINGLE WITH ED LEWIS

Strangler Ed Lewis' opponent at the Grand Opera House Thursday night will be Jim Regan, the husky Irish champion. Regan is a giant and his record indicates that he is likely to give Lewis a stiff encounter.


INTRODUCING
ENGLISH OVALS
A NEW PHILIP MORRIS CIGARETTE
CHARACTERISTIC of that unusual excellence known world wide as the hallmark of Philip Morris.
When you smoke an ENGLISH OVAL you are experiencing the ultimate in cigarette luxury.
More character—more delicate mildness—more pleasure than words can convey.
Try ENGLISH OVALS
20 for 25 Cents

BASEBALL NEWS AND NOTES

Johnny McGraw is in hopes of getting Harry Harper or Jim Shaw from Washington in exchange for Davey Robertson. Dewey wants to play in Washington; Griff wants him, but, of course, McGraw must be satisfied. Jawn bluts he will stand for the switch if awarded Harper or Shaw. Either man would give McGraw the better of the swap.

* * *

Ten Giants have been swung into line by McGraw. They are Benny Kauff, Captain Art Fletcher, Pitchers Smith, Hubbell, Ryan, Ross and Jones and Infielders Gillespie, Miller and Sicking.

* * *

Southpaw Bunny Heath has been reinstated by the National Commission. He's to play a return engagement with the Braves this season, and Chief Stallings is banking on him providing a wither. The Commission has also reinstated Happy Felsch and Byrd Lynn of the White Sox. By the by, didn't Commie mention something about those two players being barred from the White Sox Park for life? Years as if he did.

* * *

The Maryland Court of Appeals has declared invalid the city ordinance permitting baseball and other athletic sports in the public parks from 2 to 7 on Sunday afternoons.

* * *

From Springfield, O., comes word that the Braves have secured a highly promising young hitter and outfielder in Eddie King, who has been sold to the firm of Grant & Stallings by Magnate W. E. Carey. He is in the navy but expects to be discharged in time to make the training trip.

* * *

Lary Lajoie has been tendered the management of the Sioux City (Western League) club. Its owner, Harry Eels, played under the Frenchman at Cleveland for a short time.

COLLYER'S SELECTIONS

AT NEW ORLEANS.

1—Peccant, Kane Dry, Housesville.
2—Azalea, Lobelia, Mac Pom.
3—Kildare Boy, Tom Lacy, Bert Williams.
4—Diversion, Hanovia, Kate Bright.
5—Paddy Dear, Berlin, Grayson.
6—Kenward, Frank Shannon, Dorsey.
7—Philistine, Athena, Saint's Bridge.
Most probable—DIVERSION.

BY THE WHIP
AT HAVANA

1—Colle, Encore, Conowingo.
2—Spence Entry, Linkstrap, Sunducia.
3—Zim, Merry Jubilee, Luzzi.
4—Senator James, Helen Aikin, Fire Grader.
5—Lytle, Austral, Cayan Boy.
6—Bill Simmons, White Crown, Solid Rock.
Most probable—SPENCE ENTRY.

This Day in History—Feb. 17, 1919

THIS is the anniversary of the burning in Rome, in 1600, of the Italian philosopher Giordano Bruno. He was subjected to continual and terrible persecution for seven years prior to his death, in the hope that he would recant. In 1889 a monument was erected to him under papal protest at the place where he perished at the stake.

Losing One's Temper Means Losing Clearness of Thought

Magazine Page

Astronomical Use for Movie Cameras

DURING the eclipse of the sun last Summer Prof. Frost, of the Yerkes Observatory, used a movie camera to photograph a very evasive phenomenon—the outflush of reversed spectral lines at the instant of totality. This instant can never be precisely predicted, but by setting the film running before the flash the elusive lines can be caught.

The Belle of New York

AN ABSORBING NEW MOTION SERIAL

Marion Davies Is Featured as the Beautiful Violet Gray in This Story of Love and Big Business Plots

By Jane McLean

(Novelized from the Motion Picture, "The Belle of New York," produced under the personal direction of Julius Steger and released by Select Pictures Corporation.)

OUT of a dark corner stepped an evil faced man—"Good evening," he raised his hat and walked beside her. "May I keep you company a little ways?" he asked with the easy nonchalance of his kind.

The girl glanced at him with fear in her eyes and hurried the faster. Her action seemed to please him—he looked up and down the street—not a soul was in sight—he kept at her side and even ventured to take her arm—she wrenched herself free and faced him.

"Leave me alone," she said and started in walk fast again.

"None of that now," said the intruder gathering courage from the loneliness of the street—"let me call a taxi now and I'll take you right home—come along now, there's a good girl."

Trouble never came single handed and with the appearance of that trite creature might through physical strength deliver her into the hands of confederates—who for all she knew might be lurking in some nearby doorway. Her frightened eyes wandered here and there in search of an avenue of escape.

Apparently there was none—the voice of some one singing reached her ear—singing a hymn—and the refrain joined in now by many voices seemed to come from a doorway a little farther on over which a light was burning with the word "Welcome." Violet suddenly ran and the man ran after—he apparently astonished by the suddenness of her action.

It was a race to the doorway, but the girl managed to break into the door and drop out of breath to a bench before the astonished group of Salvation Army workers who were finishing the song she had heard.

Immediately the song stopped and a kindly-faced woman wearing a Salvation Army bonnet came up to her. Nor did she wait for her to speak. "I know what it is, my dear; don't worry; you are safe; you are in good hands; calm yourself and feel at home."

There was such a world of kindness in her voice, such an understanding in her expression that Violet felt that at last she had found a refuge where she could indeed be safe from the pursuit of the outside world.

When she had recovered somewhat, she noticed with relief that these people whom she had met as a distance and often wondered at were showing her a delicate consideration. They did not ask a question, they did not inquire the why and wherefore of her sudden appearance, they did not seek to learn one detail of her past life nor one reason why she seemed to look upon the little bare room as a haven of refuge.

To violet all this was very grateful; she felt that these people had the true spirit of tolerance, that they practiced a broad-minded philosophy that embraced the world and that they drew no lines in their treatment of those who sought the peace that comes with knowing the ways of the Lord and living up to His tenets.

Girl Sobbed

"You don't have to tell me anything," said the study woman. "If you wish to remain with us you may, be sure that you will find a heavenly rest upon the life does not interfere in our work but in appealing to the faltering man and woman who need a helping hand to steady them on the right road.

"Oh, thank you," sobbed the girl. "I have had trouble, not the kind you may imagine, but much trouble, and I can't go back to the life I've been living—is there any way I can help? I can sing a little"—

"We can all do something," the other assured her.

In such fashion did Violet Gray drop out of the knowledge of the outside world and heard her self becoming one of the Salvation Army workers with the bonnet and the red ribbon, learning what it means to help make the world better and acquiring a still greater beauty from an atmosphere so in tune with her own soul.

Her disappearance acted in a strange manner on young Bronson. He sought her high and low, and when at last he was obliged to confess that his efforts were futile he relapsed into a despondency from which even the endless Sandy could not rouse him. To make matters worse, he began to drink steadily—he would sit for hours drinking a little every few minutes until he became a subject of apprehension to the devoted old butler.

"I'd advise Master Jack against having any more today," the troubled gentleman would venture.

"Oh, shut up, Sandy. You're a nice one, never sober all your life, to talk to me."

"I don't touch it any more," said Sandy, sadly. "I see now what it can do."

"Well, when I get to be as old as you are I'll cut it out, too. But I've got a long way to go yet."

Was Progressing

At the rate he was progressing, Dimitri thought his way would be considerably shorter than he expected, and he had only one hope, and that was that Bronson, senior, in whose powers as a moulder of men he had a tremendous faith.

Gaining realized that the "old man" as he called him behind his back, would never stand for such goings on as his heir was now indulging in and he waited patiently for the time to come when the allowance should come to an end—he knew it would not be renewed without investigation. And in this surmise he was correct.

Harding had gone back to his employer. To tell the truth, the disappearance of the girl with whom young Bronson appeared to be infatuated seemed to him a rather good sign. It would give the young man time to collect himself and come home ready for business.

Harding was subjected to a rigid cross-examination by the head of the plant.

"Well, how is he, what is he doing and when's he coming home?"

All these questions were immaterial save the last. Harding began in a round about way to say that Jack had been having a good time, that he was sowing his wild oats and that no doubt he would be ready to report for business soon.

"There's something you're holding back, Harding," said the older man. "Now, don't tell me he's got tangled up with any girl. I can stand anything but that, and if he has he needn't expect a cent from me, for he won't get it."

Fallen in Love

"Oh, I'd hardly call it tangled up," answered Harding. "But still, I really think he's fallen in love."

"You, you do, and what's her name?"

"Name? I believe he doesn't know her name—he——"

"Well, sir, I'll wire now—no, telephone—for him to take the next train West."

"Harding raised a hand in protest. "If you'll excuse me," he said, "it wouldn't do the least bit of good, he wouldn't come."

"Oh, he would, Will, suppose I set off his card?"

"That wouldn't make any difference, either," Harding replied. "You see, he's really in love, and you know when a fellow like Jack gets he gets hard."

"Oh, piffle," shouted Bronson; "what he needs is hard work. I thought he was a man. I told him I'd stand for anything but this kind of fol-de-rol, and here he's gone and made a fool of himself over some girl without a name. Let me think about this, Harding."

Bronson went home with a determination firm set in his mind to exert his authority to the full and demand the immediate return of Jack. So far that young man had never had occasion to dispute such authority, chiefly for the reason that it had never conflicted with any of his wishes. The one thing dominating motive of his business existence. Power for the love of it was the present goal of his restless and versatile genius and that power he took pride in as in nothing else.

Now he had come to the point where he proposed to exercise it with his son and in no half-way measure. He would be hurt by his own flesh and blood with the same implicit readiness that he received from the meanest employe of the big works.

Mind of His Own

That his son might have a mind of his own never occurred to him. He was yet to find this out, and when he summoned Harding the next day he had not even taken such a contingency into account.

"Harding," he said, he, "I have been thinking over this business and I have decided what is to be done. I want you to go back to New York and tell Jack that he is to accompany you home, instanter. I won't stand for any silly-shallying—take the next train, and tell an wiring the bank to honor no over-drafts and no checks beyond the last five thousand—tell him that and tell him, too, that only pressure of business keeps me from coming in person and taking him by the nape of the neck."

"Do you think he'll come?" Harding asked.

"Come!" cried Bronson. "Of course he'll come, with no money—what do you think he'll do? Will any die hile for me as a special favor?"

"I'll go," said Harding, "but I want to go on record right here as telling you that he won't come, and that you will have a big fight on your hands, the hardest you've ever had."

"All right," said Bronson; "I'll fight it out to a finish. No son of mine can make a monkey of me."

Harding set out with a pessimistic view of the whole situation. He knew from what had been that young Bronson would not come back, and he knew also that the only argument that would bring him to terms was a surrender by his father in the matter of the girl with whom he had fallen in love.

And he imagined his employer consenting to welcome into his household a girl who had sung before the footlights in an extravaganza. Not that she might not be the acme of all that was sweet and womanly—Bronsons ideas about women were as old-fashioned as his ideas about business were modern, and the incongruity never struck him.

Jack's mother had brought him a small sum which he had invested wisely and made the stepping stone to his great fortune. Harding began in a round about way to say that Jack had been having a good time, that he was growing his wild oats and that no doubt he would be ready to report for business soon.

"There's something you're holding back, Harding," said the older man. "Now, don't tell me he's got tangled up with any girl. I can stand anything but that, and if he has he needn't expect a cent from me, for he won't get it."

Fallen in Love

"Oh, I'd hardly call it tangled up," answered Harding. "But still, I really think he's fallen in love."

"You, you do, and what's her name?"

"Name? I believe he doesn't know her name—he——"

"Well, sir, I'll wire now—no, telephone—for him to take the next train West."

"Harding raised a hand in protest. "If you'll excuse me," he said, "it wouldn't do the least bit of good, he wouldn't come."

"Oh, he would, Will, suppose I set off his card?"

"That wouldn't make any difference, either," Harding replied. "You see, he's really in love, and you know when a fellow like Jack gets he gets hard."

"Oh, piffle," shouted Bronson; "what he needs is hard work. I thought he was a man. I told him I'd stand for anything but this kind of fol-de-rol, and here he's gone and made a fool of himself over some girl without a name. Let me think about this, Harding."

Bronson went home with a determination firm set in his mind to exert his authority to the full and demand the immediate return of Jack. So far that young man had never had occasion to dispute such authority, chiefly for the reason that it had never conflicted with any of his wishes. The one thing dominating motive of his business existence. Power for the love of it was the present goal of his restless and versatile genius and that power he took pride in as in nothing else.

Now he had come to the point where he proposed to exercise it with his son and in no half-way measure. He would be hurt by his own flesh and blood with the same implicit readiness that he received from the meanest employe of the big works.

Mind of His Own

That his son might have a mind of his own never occurred to him. He was yet to find this out, and when he summoned Harding the next day he had not even taken such a contingency into account.

"Harding," he said, he, "I have been thinking over this business and I have decided what is to be done. I want you to go back to New York and tell Jack that he is to accompany you home, instanter. I won't stand for any silly-shallying—take the next train, and tell an wiring the bank to honor no over-drafts and no checks beyond the last five thousand—tell him that and tell him, too, that only pressure of business keeps me from coming in person and taking him by the nape of the neck."

"Do you think he'll come?" Harding asked.

"Come!" cried Bronson. "Of course he'll come, with no money—what do you think he'll do? Will any die hile for me as a special favor?"

"I'll go," said Harding, "but I want to go on record right here as telling you that he won't come, and that you will have a big fight on your hands, the hardest you've ever had."

"All right," said Bronson; "I'll fight it out to a finish. No son of mine can make a monkey of me."

Harding set out with a pessimistic view of the whole situation. He knew from what had been that young Bronson would not come back, and he knew also that the only argument that would bring him to terms was a surrender by his father in the matter of the girl with whom he had fallen in love.

And he imagined his employer consenting to welcome into his household a girl who had sung before the footlights in an extravaganza. Not that she might not be the acme of all that was sweet and womanly—Bronsons ideas about women were as old-fashioned as his ideas about business were modern, and the incongruity never struck him.

Jack's mother had brought him a small sum which he had invested wisely and made the stepping stone to his great fortune. Harding began in a round about way to say that Jack had been having a good time, that he was growing his wild oats and that no doubt he would be ready to report for business soon.

"There's something you're holding back, Harding," said the older man. "Now, don't tell me he's got tangled up with any girl. I can stand anything but that, and if he has he needn't expect a cent from me, for he won't get it."

Fallen in Love

"Oh, I'd hardly call it tangled up," answered Harding. "But still, I really think he's fallen in love."

"You, you do, and what's her name?"

"Name? I believe he doesn't know her name—he——"

"Well, sir, I'll wire now—no, telephone—for him to take the next train West."

"Harding raised a hand in protest. "If you'll excuse me," he said,

The woman the years pass by

What is the secret of her enduring youthfulness and charm that everyone admires? Nothing you cannot possess. Soft, silky abundant hair, retaining the natural color and lustre of girlhood—framing your face in loveliness that defies the passing years.

Qban

Hair Color Restorer

will preserve the youthful color of hair or bring back the dark, natural shade to hair that is gray, faded or streaked with gray. Revives scalp and stops hair from falling out.

Absolutely not a dye. Easily applied. Restores the color uniformly and gradually by a perfectly natural process. Does not interfere with your regular curling or shampooing.

For Hair Health and Beauty

Qban Toilet and Shampoo Soap - $ .25
Qban Liquid Shampoo - - - .50
Qban Hair Tonic - - - $ .50—1.00
Qban Hair Color Restorer - - .75
Qban Depilatory - - - - - .75

For sale at all drug stores and wherever toilet goods are sold

Manufactured by
Hessig-Ellis, Chemists, Memphis, Tenn.

Advertisement

DRIVE AWAY HEADACHE

Rub Musterole on Forehead and Temples

A headache remedy without the dangers of "headache medicine." Relieves headache and that miserable feeling from colds or congestion. And it acts at once! Musterole is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Used only externally, and in no way can it affect stomach and heart, as some internal medicines do.

Excellent for sore throat, bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, chilblains, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, all pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).

30c and 60c jars; hospital size $2.50.

MUSTEROLE
"IT WILL NOT BLISTER"

An Interesting Royal Group

Prince Jaime, Princesses Beatrix and Christina, Son and Daughters of King Alfonso and Queen Victoria of Spain

This good-looking group was taken after the children had received their first communion. Prince Jaime is the second son, aged ten; his sister, Beatrix, is nine, and Christina is seven. There are two sons younger than Jaime.

The Secret Life and Loves of the Ex-Czarina

By BARONESS ZENEIDE TZANKOFF

Edited by William Le Queux

Famous traveler, authority on European court intrigues, adviser to the British secret service foreign department. Frequently consulted by European secret service departments on spying and espionage.

(Copyright, 1919, by The International News Service.)
(Copyright, 1919, by William Le Queux. Book, Cinema and Translation Rights are reserved.)

PART XIII.—Continued

WHAT could it all mean? Was the Empress nursing her hidden hatred and preparing for a swift and unexpected revenge?

Peter Arkadievitch Stolypin was at the moment the tremendous—as we Russians term a person who is a favorite of the Emperor—and he had the Czar's ear at any hour, a full-bearded, pleasant man, with highly-curled moustache, and extremely gentlemanly, he was neither clever nor very intelligent. The son of an aide-de-camp general of the Czar Alexander, he had spent his life in the public service, being for at last governor of the province of Samara, where he had attracted the attention of the Count Witte, who was his successor, by much scheming, he eventually became.

We met often at court, for frequently he would come into my room and take tea with me. He was a most wonderful gossip, knowing and could chatter for hours and still keep one interested. His retirement was greater than that of the Emperor, and he possessed a great determination, though in his nature there was the same cruel hardness as in that of his imperial master.

Stolypin was extremely egotistical, and more than once Her Majesty reminded me:

"He is a reckless fatalist."

Once, over the dinner table at Peterhof, the Emperor and Alix were discussing him.

"I rather like him," Her Majesty declared. "He is always so very amusing, and, further, he believes in the iron hand against those villainous revolutionaries."

Well, she knew His Excellency's authoritative and selfish nerviousness whenever his personal interests were at stake. Her error in treating Stolypin with that studied disdain she has already realized, and is resolved to be endeavoring to court his favor.

Stolypin, a true Russian, was also a shrewd man. He hated Germany, and he was aware of the German intrigue against Russia, fostered by the Empress. Having risen step by step to the highest office in the empire, he cared for nobody. So long as he could get his plans endorsed by Nicholas, it mattered nothing to him how many enemies he made, or how many innocent people were sent into exile or placed in those awful oubliettes of Schlusselburg. He was a sycophant of the most despicable kind, but he knew of the German intrigue and he suspected Alexander Feodorovna. His only rival at court was General Trepoff, who, through his close friendship with the Grand Duchess Elisabeth Feodorovna, has been pitchforked into high office, and won the favor of the Empress.

For a long time there was much gossip concerning Trepoff and the Grand Duchess. Her Majesty was always full of it, for she dearly loved a scandal, though to those who were not her intimates she would hold in her hands in pious horror. Trepoff's reign was, however, very brief, for he died suddenly, leaving Stolypin master of the situation. Some have said that his death was not a natural one, and that Rasputin was implicated in it.

The Empress frequently granted audience to Stolypin, but so far as anybody knew, those interviews had no connection with politics. Yet the truth was that Alix in secret acted both His Excellency and his wife—whom she had never forgiven for poking fun at her—and was pretending to favor him, though at the same time she feared him because he suspected her dabbling with Germany.

One evening the Empress remarked to Anna Vyrubova—who, by the way, had retired from Court until after her divorce case had been heard, and had now returned in full favor, and with Rasputin as her principal friend, and who happened to be present:

"Really, Stolypin is assuming the character of dictator. But he is only bamboozling people into the belief that he possesses the qualities of a leader."

The monk saint, who was standing near, crossed his hands over the breast of his greasy black coat, and exclaimed in that deep, intense voice of his:

"Truly speakest the truth, O, lady. The Minister Stolypin is an evil adviser of Nicholas. Even last night I beheld a vision—a vision that his end draweth nigh."

"He is your worst enemy, Father," declared Anna.

"Yea, I know," remarked the Empress. "The Father must be protected or Stolypin will encompass his downfall."

(To Be Continued.)

IF ALL MOTHERS ONLY KNEW!

Thousands of Children Suffer from Worms and Their Mothers Do Not Know What the Trouble Is.

Signs of worms are: Deranged stomach, swollen upper lip, sour stomach, offensive breath, hard and full belly with occasional gripings and pains about the navel, pale face of tender tint, eyes heavy and dark, twelve-year-old, itching of the nose, itching of the rectum, short dry cough, grinding of the teeth, and in some sticking out on the tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever.

Mrs. M. N. Roberts, 502 Asylum Street, Flint, Mich., used Dr. True's Elixir for her little baby girl when she was sick. Mrs. Roberts wrote to Dr. True: "My little girl is cured of her worms." And in a later letter wrote: "Baby is fine and I think it was your medicine (Dr. True's Elixir) that helped her." If your baby is ill start giving Dr. True's Elixir at once. Write us freely about the case. No charge for correspondence. Buy Dr. True's Elixir at your drug store at once. Dr. J. F. True & Co., Auburn, Maine.—Advertisement.

Advertisement

Lose Your Fat, Keep Your Health

Superfluous flesh is not healthy, neither is it healthy to diet or exercise too much for its removal. The simplest method known for reducing the obesest body two, three or four pounds a week is the Marmola Method, tried and endorsed by thousands. Marmola Prescription Tablets, containing exact doses of the famous prescription, are sold by druggists at 75 cents for a large case, or if you prefer you can obtain them by sending direct to the Marmola Company, 864 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Mich. They are harmless and leave no wrinkles or flabbiness. They are popular because effective and convenient.

When a Girl Marries

A NEW SERIAL OF YOUNG MARRIED LIFE

(Copyright 1919, King Features Syndicate Inc.)

By Ann Lisle

CHAPTER LXXVII.—Continued.

"YOUR sister? Run to the telephone, Barbara Anne, and tell Jim's family that your old dad from the country's here and just spoiling to give a party to his in-laws."

Rather disabling, I and as Father Andrew requested, and much to my amusement, Virginia accepted with real cordiality. That laugh we had shared the day before had established a tiny invisible bond between us. Then, in accordance with Evvy's plan we packed Father off in her car, and Jim, leaning on me in a fashion that set my heart to throbbing, made his way to the Hochamonds.

"Say, that father of yours is one good old scout for fair! I like him like him fine," declared Jim as we walked along slowly. "Hot, honey-girl, please don't fuss over me so before him, or he'll think you married me just out of a bargain basement rummage sale."

"I won't, dear," I promised happily. "But now we're alone—confess up—wasn't the first day pretty hard on you?"

Norreys a Wonder

"Well, I hated the morning—and the desk where I spent it, all right. But Norreys is a wonder, and when he took me along to one of the woolen mills I sort of came to. Wish he could see me for buying and get another chap for this blooming desk job. I don't like the confinement."

"But you do like the hundred a week, don't you, dear?"

"Oh, I'll do for the present. But, of course, it isn't big money, Anne. Mighty few salaried jobs give a man real money," returned Jim carelessly.

"It's enough for me, dear. I think you've come back wonderfully."

"Well, I will—'come back'—all right, all right, so you order the roast and if you give us plenty of oysters and soup and chicken and vegetables, Miss Mason and I won't complain at all. But this is a hungry man's dinner and father's first party, so he real lavish."

Then, while Jim was busy with the dinner cards, father turned and spoke gently—almost pleadingly—to Phoebe or Evvy I couldn't tell:

(To Be Continued.)

CHAPTER LXXVIII.

"ANNE'S father! Oh, I am so glad to meet you!" cried Phoebe, coloring softly as she spoke.

"Pleased to make your acquaintance, Miss," Father Andrew replied a little awkwardly.

In understand just how frenzied his honest soul must be. Evvy not given him her promise to believe that she was Neal's sweetheart. So, what was the other girl doing with the ring he had given Neal—mother?

Shy little Phoebe from under his keen eyes. She had seen them rest on her ring. Undoubtedly Neal had told her that this was his mother's betrothal ring and in his father's coldness there was nothing for Phoebe to read but pure effrontery. As we went across the lobby to meet Virginia, Phoebe clung to me—wordless, frightened. And Evvy stayed close at Father Andrew's side, fairly flaunting her friendliness with him.

Virginia met us at the father exclusively enough, but to Evvy, Virginia was ice. What she thought of me for permitting this encounter I could guess. Still, for the time, Father Andrew's geniality promised to thaw ice and freezing temperature.

"Now let's get a fine table where we can see all the folks and throw ourselves off to 'em, too," he said, heartily, with the truly American humor that pokes fun at itself. "Then we'll order the banquet supper I was telling you about, Miss Mason—oyster stew and cold boiled ham and greens and all the trimmings."

"Don't forget the apple sauce," laughed Evelyn impishly.

Jim Ordered the Dinner

But when it came to the actual ordering of the dinner, father turned to Jim with the innate sweetness that is sometimes better than mere "manners".

"Son—you know what your sisters like, so you order the repast and if you give us plenty of oysters and soup and chicken and vegetables, Miss Mason and I won't complain at all. But this is a hungry man's dinner and father's first party, so be real lavish"

Then, while Jim was busy with the dinner cards, father turned and spoke gently—almost pleadingly—to Phoebe or Evvy I couldn't tell:

(To Be Continued.)

For Constipation! Physic Purge or Laxative?

Everyone now and then becomes constipated, and millions are chronically in that condition. The perplexing question arises—what to use.

Purgatives and cathartics are drastic and usually cause a reaction. Saline waters are rapid in action but do no more than empty the bowels.

Just as certain an effect, and certainly a much more pleasant one, can be obtained by the use of a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin sold by druggists under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It acts gently, without griping. It is an especially ideal medicine for children, women, old people and others who find purges too powerful.

Only a teaspoonful is required, and by morning the movement is free and complete. A bottle in the house is insurance for the whole family against constipation, indigestion, headaches, flatulency and other digestive ills.

The druggist will refund your money if it fails to do as promised.

PRICE AS ALWAYS

In spite of greatly increased laboratory cost due to the War, by sacrificing profits and absorbing war taxes we have maintained the price at which this family laxative has been sold by druggists for the past 59 years. Two sizes—50c and $1.00.

Dr. Caldwell's SYRUP PEPSIN
The Perfect Laxative

FREE SAMPLES.—If you have never used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin send a free trial bottle to Dr W. B. Caldwell, 468 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. If there are babies at home, ask for a copy of Dr. Caldwell's book, "The Care of Baby."

Don't be left out of things

Resinol

will help your skin

There's many a girl who goes through the pangs of jealousy and envy when she sees her friend, the girl with the radiant complexion, enjoying things.

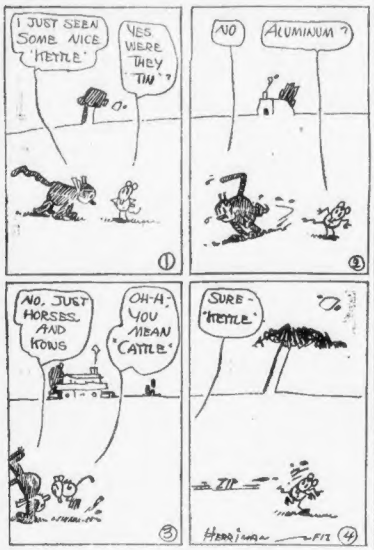
If you are a sufferer from skin troubles and know the embarrassment and pain they bring, waste no further time fretting about your ailment but commence immediately the Resinol Ointment treatment. Pimples, blackheads, blotchy patches on the face, rough red skins, speedily respond to the soothing, healing medication this ointment contains.

Even quicker results may be obtained by joint use of Resinol Soap with Resinol Ointment. Apply the ointment at night. Wash the face with the soap by day.

Sold by all druggists.

Krazy Kat

Copyright, 1919, International Feature Service Inc.—Registered U. S. Patent Office.



BRINGING UP FATHER

Copyright, 1919, International Feature Service, Inc.

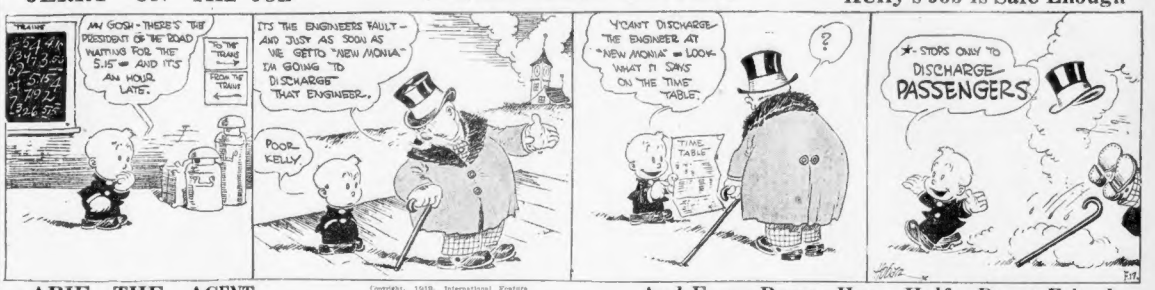
By George McManus

DAD-HOW DO YOU LIKE MY COSTUME FOR THE MASQUE BALL?
I DON'T WANT MOTHER TO SEE IT UNTIL WE GET TO THE BALL- I WANT TO SURPRISE HER
YOURE NOT GONNA WEAR THAT OUT OF THIS HOUSE-
DONT BE SO OLD FASHIONED DADDY-
GO PUT SOME CLOTHES ON-
BY GOLLY- IF SHE WONT MIND ME- SHE WILL HER MOTHER-
WELL- HOW DO YOU LIKE MY COSTUME?
2-17

JERRY ON THE JOB

Copyright, 1919, International Feature Service Inc.—Registered U. S. Patent Office.

Kelly's Job Is Safe Enough


MY GOSH - THERE'S THE PRESIDENT OF THE ROAD WAITING FOR THE 5.15 — AND IT'S AN HOUR LATE.
TO THE TRAINS
FROM THE TRAINS
IT'S THE ENGINEERS FAULT — AND JUST AS SOON AS WE GETTO "NEW MONIA" I'M GOING TO DISCHARGE THAT ENGINEER.
POOR KELLY
I WONT DISCHARGE THE ENGINEER AT "NEW MONIA" — LOOK WHAT IT SAYS ON THE TIME TABLE.
TIME TABLE
STOPS ONLY TO DISCHARGE PASSENGERS

ABIE THE AGENT

Copyright, 1919, International Feature Service, Inc. Registered U. S. Patent Office.

And Every Person Has a Half a Dozen Friends

I HOPE THIS SHOW I'M BREKING IS A HIT — IF IT AINT, I'M OUT HEAVY MONEH! THIS EVENING IS THE FIRST PERFORMANCE OF THIS DREMA — OY, I HOPE IT AINT TERRIBUS!
WOW, WHAT A CROWD FOR THE FIRST PERFORMANCE, ABE! PACKED TO THE DOORS 2,941 PEOPLE IN THERE
2,941 PEOPLE? THAT'S THE POSITIVEL CAPACITY OF MY TEANTER! THAT'S SOME BUSINESS!
WHAT'S THE MATTER, ABE - YOU LOOK WORRIED ALL OF A SUDDEN!
I WAS JUST THINKING THAT'S AN AWFUL LOT OF PEOPLE TO START GOSSIPING AROUND, IF THE SHOW IS ROTTEN!

POLLY AND HER PALS

Copyright, 1919, Newspaper Feature Service, Inc. Registered U. S. Patent Office. Great Britain Rights Reserved.

Pa Is in for an Explosion

WHAT WILL PEOPLE DO WHEN THE COUNTRY GOES 'DRY,' POLLY?
THEY SAY, IF YOU PUT A RAISIN IN A GLASS OF NEAR-BEER, IT HAS A WICKED WOLLOP!
IT'S A WASTE OF RAISINS SOM. IVE JESS DRANK SIX OF 'EM!
WAIT. HOW, PA WAIT!
WAIT? WOT FER?
TOMORROW!
IT TAKES 24 HOURS FOR THE HON. 'KICK' TO COMMENCE!

THEN THE FUN BEGAN

Copyright, 1919, International Feature Service, Inc.

US BOYS

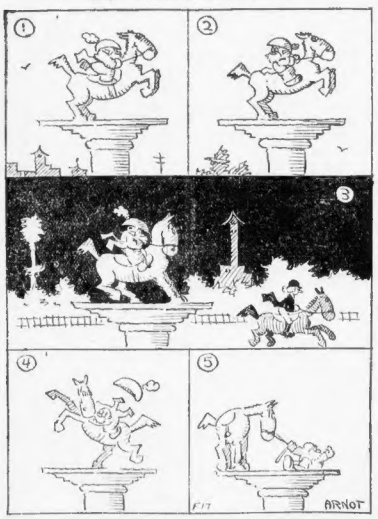
Copyright, 1919, International Feature Service Inc. Registered U. S. Patent Office.

Skinny Here Represents the Kaiser

MY GOODNESS GRACIOUS!
IT TOOK ME ALMOST TWO WEEKS ALMOST, BUT I FINALLY MADE UP MY MIND FINALLY I DID
YOU DON'T SAY!
YEP I FINALLY MADE UP MY MIND I DID THAT I WOULDA CAPTURED THE KAISER, RED HANDED, VERY RED HANDED, IF IDA
THE FOUR FLUSHER
BEEN OVER THERE!
BY GOSH, I GOTTA GET EVEN ON SOME ONE!
TOM MCNAMARA

THE GENERAL: He's Too Late to Stop the Fair Equestrienne

Copyright, 1919, International Feature Service, Inc.



OVER HERE

Copyright, 1919, International Feature Service, Inc.

"Call Again" If It's a Bad Ear

UNCLE STEVE WHO'S HEARING IS POOR CALLS.
I SAY- HAVE YOU HAD DINNER?
THINNER? WHO, ME?
WRITE IT ON A PIECE OF PAPER.
DON'T YOU LOVE THAT?
WHAT'S THE MATTER CAN'T HE HEAR?
THAT'S LIKE! HE'S AS DUMB AS UNCLE IS DEAF.
THE NEIGHBORS WILL THINK WE'RE FIGHTING.
CALAMITY JANE
UNCLE HAS NO SENSE OF HEARING AND THIS DIZZY BIRD HAS NO SENSE AT ALL.
UNCLE STEVE DON'T KNOW HOW LUCKY HE IS THAT HE CAN'T HEAR THE SWEET THINGS THESE HEAVY LOVERS SAY.
"HONEY AND PEACHES"
BOY, HIS EARS FOR MINE.
UNCLE STEVE HAS A TIN EAR.
WOW!
IF UNCLE HAD YOU AROUND, YOU'D MAKE YOURSELF HEARD.
BUH-LIEVE ME!
HE'S SO DEAF, MIKE, HE COULDN'T EVEN GET A HEARING IN COURT.
COMEDIAN
I'M NOT LISTENING!
HATTIE SHOULD CARE IF ANYBODY HEARS HER AS LONG AS THEY SEE HER NEW BONNETS.
HOW MANY HEARS IN AN EAR?
DON'T WEAR EAR MUFFS, YOU MAY MISS AN INVITATION TO A DRINK, FROM A BIRD WHO DON'T REPEAT
FROM BROTHER BILL PETERSON
OL' JOHN DON'T
F17

Kabibble Kabaret

Copyright, 1919, International Feature Service Inc.—Registered U. S. Patent Office.

DEAR MR. KABIBBLE,
MY HUSBAND HAS SUCH AN ICY STARE LATELY. WHAT CAN THE REASON BE?
MRS. V. C.
MAYBE THE WATER ON HIS BRAIN HAS FROZEN!

Market Stronger and More Active at Noon

TOB. PRODUCTS AT RECORD HIGHEST

Several Issues Touch Top Price for 1919 to Date

By W. H. ROSS.
Financial Editor.

Stocks grew stronger during the noon hour and the market became more active on the advance. Tobacco Products sold at a record high price and a number of other issues at their highest so far in 1919. Among the latter were American Hide & Leather, Pan-American and Studebaker. U. S. Steel advanced to 85. Allis Chalmers was one of the strongest issues. Car & Foundry more than recovered an early loss. Among rails, Canadian Pacific and Reading attracted attention by sudden sharp advances. The former advanced two points and the latter more than one.

AFTERNOON GAINS AND LOSSES.

By 2 o'clock the market was still strong and gains included Mex. Petrol 1¾ at 92⅞, Allis Chalmers 2¼ at 24⅝, Tobacco Products 1⅝ at 86⅜, after selling at 86¼; Pan American 3 at 79⅝, General Motors 7⅛ at 137½, Studebaker 2¼ at 53½, Reading 1¼ at 89½, Canadian Pacific 2 at 160⅝ and Anaconda ½ at 58⅝.

Among gainers were Royal Dutch 2¼ at 93⅝; Mexican Petroleum ¾ at 87⅝; Texas Co. 1¼ at 131⅝; American Can ⅜ at 45 and Distillers at 42½.

In Boston gains included Swift & Co. 1¾ at 122⅝, United Fruit ½ at 124, Inland Creek Coal 1¼ at 39, and American Woolen preferred ¾ at 96⅝. Among declines were Stewart ¾ at 58⅝, Mohawk 1 at 58 and Copper Range ⅛ at 41.

ROYAL DUTCH WEAK.

Stocks ruled higher at noon in New York, but most issues were less than below their highest prices for the morning. Pan-American was a strong oil, most others showing losses. It was a market feature, selling as high as 78⅝. Royal Dutch was off more than 6 points at its lowest. Motor was remained the strongest group throughout the afternoon, Mex. Petroleum as high as 92¼. United Clear Stores at 118⅞, touched its high for the year, while Atl. Gulf at 24⅝ also was at its lowest. The market was active at the start, and ruling animation continued for some afternoon. In the second hour rails weakened somewhat. Coppers remained inactive, but were steady.

INITIAL PRICES WERE HIGHER.

The opening was strong and trading was active, with rails prominent, including Pan-American Petroleum, which sold at prices 1¼ points apart on different sides of the crowd. On the advance a number of issues were offseed by profit taking, which at the end of the hour gave them the appearance of a reaction. But the market kept to a higher level all the morning despite the reaction and the price currents. This weakened as a group, particularly Royal Dutch. It sold initially at 92, which Standard Motors were active and the strongest issues, being led by Studebaker. Coppers were quiet and fairly firm. Steels had a narrow range and were steady. Equipments and rails were higher all the morning, but like most active issues failed to hold all its advance. Trades were disposed to realize profits quickly.

CONFIDENCE MORE GENERAL.

At the start today there was continuation of the covering movement which marked week-end trading. The professional element seemed to be in doubt as to the immediate movement than for weeks. In some quarters the opinion was heard that the long professional movement has culminated or is practically at an end. In business circles more encouraging talk is heard. Belief is spreading that while trade is not good confidence is accumulating that it will be soon.

Boston Stocks

Prices on the Boston Stock Exchange from the opening until 2 p. m. had the following range:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Alaska Gold	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Alaska Gold pf	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
Allouez	43½	43½	43½	43½
Am Zinc	103½	103½	103½	103½
Am Zinc pf	99½	99½	99	99
Am Sug Ref pf	118	118	118	118
Am Tel & Tel	100½	102½	100½	102½
Am Woolen pf	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
Anaconda	59	59	59	59
Atl Gulf	25	25	25	25
Boston & Albany	135	135	135	135
Boston Elevated	68½	68½	68	68
Boston Elevated pf	91	91	91	91
Boston & Maine	25½	26	25½	26
Boston & Prov	165	165	165	165
Calif & Arizona	58½	59	58	59
Calu & Hecla	427	427	427	427
Centennial	17	17	17	17
Century Steel	14½	14½	14½	14½
Cons. Copper	19½	19½	19½	19½
Cons. Copper pf	70	70	70	70
Cons. Rivers R R	112	112	112	112
Copper Range	40½	41	40½	41
Cub Port Cement	12	12	12	12
Davis-Daly	5	5	5	5
East Butte	9½	9½	9½	9½
Eastern Steamship	8¼	8¼	8¼	8¼
Edison Electric	168	168	165	165
Fairbanks Co	37	37	37	37
General Electric	131½	131½	131½	131½
Inland Corp	44	45	44	45
Inland Oil	5 6-16	6¼	5	6¼
Isle Royale	25	25¼	25	25¼
Mason Valley	2⅞	3	2⅞	2⅞
Mass Gas 1st pf	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼
Mass Gas Co	86	86	82½	82½
Matheson Alkali	37½	37½	37½	37½
Maxwell Motor	31½	33½	31½	33½
Mergenthaler	130	130	130	130
Mex Petroleum	89	93	89	92⅝
Miami	24	24	24	24
New Arcadian	17½	17½	14½	15
New Cornelia	18½	18½	18½	18½
N E Tel	93	93	92	92
New Haven R R	27	27¼	26¾	27
New Rex	9½	10	9½	9½
North Butte	7	7	7	7
Old Colony	84½	84½	84½	84½
Pullman Co	114½	115½	113½	115½
Punta Alegre	51½	51½	51½	51½
Reece Button Hole	14¼	14¼	14¼	14¼
Reece Folding	13½	13½	13½	13½
Rex ctf 5½ Corp	28½	28½	28½	28½
St Mary's Land	41	41	41	41
Shannon Copper	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Superior & Boston	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
Swift & Co	122	122	122	122½
Trinity Copper	2¼	2½	2½	2½
United Fruit	161½	161	160½	161½
United Shoe Mach	45	45½	45	45½
U S Machine	27½	27½	27½	27½
U S Smelting	40	40½	40	40½
U S Smelting pf	46½	46½	46½	46½
U S Steel	84½	86	84½	85
U S Steel pf	114¾	114¾	114¾	114¾
Utah Apex	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
Utah Cons	13	13	13	13
Utal Metals	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Victoria	10	10	10	10
Vt & Mass	95	95	95	95
Wash Gas Light	59	59	59	59
W E R & L	44	45	44	44
W E R & L pf	82	82	82	82
West Union	87½	87½	87½	87½

GOVERNMENT BONDS

Liberty 3½	98.64	98.74	98.64	98.74
4s 1932-47	92.54	92.54	92.50	92.50
2d 4s 1927-42	92.44	92.44	92.42	92.42
1st 4¼s 1932-47	94.44	94.44	94.44	94.44
2d 4¼s 1927-42	94.36	94.36	94.34	94.34
3s 4½s 1928	94.84	95.14	94.84	94.84
4th 4¼s 1933	94.70	94.80	94.64	94.64

BONDS

Mass Gas 4½s	92½	92½	92½	92½
Punta Sugar 6s	90	90	90	90
Swift & Co 5s	96¼	96¼	96¼	96¼
U S Smelt 6s	99	99	99	99
Ves 6s	104	104	104	104

Boston Curb

Opening prices on the Boston Curb today were:

	Saturday's Closing	Today's Opening
American Oil	26	26
Arizona Commercial	3⅛	3⅛
Arizona & Montana	3½	3½
Crystal	16	16
Eagle	1¼	1¼
First National	1¼	1¼
Hancock	26	26
Majestic	2½	2½
Nipissing	8⅝	8⅝
Pilgrim	5½	5½
Shannon	2¾	2¾
Seven Metals	1⅛	1⅛

R. R. Compensation Contract

Washington, D. C., Feb. 17.—Railroad administration has made compensation contract with Union Pacific at $38,552,928. This includes the subsidiaries: Oregon Short Line, Oregon Washington Railroad & Navigation Company, the Des Chutes Railroad, the Green River Water Work Company, Rattlesnake Creek Water Company, and Union Pacific Water Company.

Shipping Board Will Time Charter Wooden Steamers

Notice is hereby given that the United States Shipping Board will receive sealed bids to be opened in the office of the Director of Operations, Washington, at 11 A. M., on March 1, 1919, for the time charter, for March delivery, on the Board's form of time charter-party for wooden steamers, of the following named vessels:

At New York, CALLOOH, BOILSTON, ALVADA, BLANDON, CATAWBA.
At Brunswick, Georgia—MORITZ.
At Jacksonville, BAGOSO, BEDMINSTER.
At New Orleans, ALPACO, BILOXI.
At Hampton Roads, ALANTHUS, KICKAPOO.

Charters will exclude carriage of explosives. The Board may, in its discretion, require charterers to furnish security for faithful performance, and also reserves the right to reject any bids. Charters will be for any period not exceeding six months after final treaty of peace. Trading limits as follows:

Between safe port and / or ports in British North America, and United States of America, and / or West Indies, and / or Central America and / or Caribbean Sea, and / or Gulf of Mexico, and / or South America, and / or Europe, and / or Africa, and / or Asia, and / or Australia, excluding River St. Lawrence between October 31 to May 15, White Sea, Black Sea, Behring Sea and Baltic out of season, Magdalena River, and all unsafe ports. Also excluding the Baltic east of 13 degrees E long, between 1st of October and 1st of April; also excluding west coast of Africa; also excluding Cape Horn or Straits of Magellan; also excluding Straits north of the line from Cape Hatteras to Gibraltar between September 1st and March 1st; also excluding any port in Europe north of Bergen.

Sealed bids should be transmitted in letter addressed to Director of Operations, attention Contract Department, United States Shipping Board, 1319 F Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

LESTER SISLER, Secretary.

COPPER MINES PREPARE TO CUT WAGES

Discuss Sliding Scale With Labor Leaders as Price of Metal Drops

Speaking about developments in copper this fall to 1919, Engineering and Mining Journal says editorially:

"As conditions become clear to big producers during January, the shock that there would be to labor with restoration of the sliding scale of wages and a drop of copper from basis of 26 cents a pound, which had been used up to December 31, to something less than 20 cents, became a paramount consideration. It was necessary to do many things over with labor leaders and make some arrangements. In this both parties—companies and representatives of miners—had the help of the federal service. Department of Labor and other branches of the government were intelligently helpful.

"There were troublesome days ahead, and they may last for a long time. We must expect a number of strikes for a while, and also we must look for lower prices being made, perhaps by low producers in Europe, if we have a situation now in copper, as well as in lead and zinc, which is of production does not mean anything in the market. Many producers will find it necessary to close down. The more is production curtailed, the better will it be for correction of the unfilled situation.

"In this connection let us point out, however, that the companies whose treasuries are in a good state—and fortunately that can be said of many of that thing is true—will continue development work, which had to be neglected during the years of 1917-18. Copper producers must now be cool, patient, and philosophical, and we trust they have accordingly confident assurance that in letting nature take its course corporation of normal, healthy conditions will come quickest."

CANADA'S TRADE WITH THE UNITED STATES

During the four years ended by 1918 Canada's exports totalled $4,620,000,000, shipments to the United States amounting to $1,280,000,000. During the same period Canada imported to $3,323,000,000, purchase in this country amounting to $2,666,000,000.

For three pre-war years, 1911 to 1915, inclusive, Canadian imports aggregated $1,369,000,000. Nine-tenths of this, or $1,677,000,000,000 was from the United States. Export trade totalled $1,119,000,000, of which only $356,000,000 was to the United States. In 1915 Canada showed a favorable trade balance, it amounting to $207,000,000.

TO MAKE FOODSTUFFS INSTEAD OF WHISKEY

The Distillers Securities Corporation was prosperous in 1918, reporting net profits equal to $21.12 a share, as compared with $14.81 for the preceding year. Expectation that government did not get in increased taxes all of the advance made by Federal Monopoly and how that Federal prohibition has been adopted by the States, its board of directors decided to change the nature of its business and change its name.

At a special meeting tomorrow, stockholders will be asked to change the name of the concern to "The United States Food Products Corporation," and a number of its plants are being adapted to the manufacture of cereal food products, foodstuffs, yeasts, etc.

Metal Market Prices

New York, Feb. 17.—In the metal market lead was firm and spelter quiet. Quotations were: Lead, East St. Louis spot, Feb. and March offered 6; spelter, East St. Louis spot, Feb. 6.25@6.45; March, April and May 6.30@6.45.

Boston Bank Statement

For the week ended February 15, the Boston bank statement shows cash excess and in reserve of $1,152,090, an increase of $1,158,000 from the previous week.

Financial News Items

The net income of the P. W. Woolworth Company for 1918 was but $7,088,716, as compared with $9,252,849 for 1917. Although the sales for 1918 reached the high record total of $197,149,413.

Alfred S. Dabney, member of the firm of Earnest E. Smith & Co., No. 52 Devonshire street, Boston, has recently returned from France. Although he is the firm member of the New York Stock exchange, he present made his office with him in Boston for some time. The organization has recently been strengthened by the return of Ralph A. Powers, who has been an instructor at the aviation station at Pensacola, Fla.

New York Sub-Treasury Loss

New York, Feb. 17.—The sub-treasury lost $2,000,000 to the banks on Saturday, making a cash net loss since Friday of $119,000.

Dividend Declarations

The American Express Company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent, payable April 1 on stock of record February 28.

The S. S. Kresge Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent, on the preferred stock, payable April 1 on stock of record March 20.

The Mac Importers' Stores Company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent. on the preferred stock, payable March 1 on stock of record February 20.

The Montgomery Ward Company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on the preferred stock, payable April 1 on stock of record February 20.

The Abt Rubber Company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of $1.50 a share, payable March 15 on stock of record February 15.

The Jewel Tea Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. on the preferred stock, payable April 1 on stock of record March 20.

The White Rock Copper Company development company has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 5 cents a share, payable March 15 on stock of record February 15.

The Goodrich Company of Ohio has declared the regular quarterly dividend of $1 a share and the usual extra dividend of $1 a share payable April 1 on stock of record February 28.

New York Stocks

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange from the opening until 2 p. m. had the following range:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Am Ag Chem	100½	101¾	100½	101¾
Alaska	24½	24½	24½	24½
Am Beet Sug	69¾	69¾	68¾	68¾
Am Can	45½	45½	44¾	45
Am Car & Fdy	93¾	93¾	88½	90½
Am Cot Oil	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾
Am Druggist S	124½	125½	124½	125½
Am H & L	18	18	17½	17½
Am H & L pf	92¾	93½	92¾	93½
Am Ice	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾
Am Ice pf	62	62	61¾	62
Am Int Corp	60¾	61	60¾	61
Am Smelting	65¾	66¼	65¾	66¼
Am Sugar	117	117¼	116½	117¼
Am Sug Ref pf	118¼	118¼	118¼	118¼
Am Tel & Tel	102½	103¼	102½	103¼
Am Tob pf	86¼	86¼	86¼	86¼
Am Woolen	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝	98⅝
Anaconda	58¾	59	58¾	59
Atchison	89¼	89¼	89¼	89¼
Atl Gulf & W I	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Baldwin Loco	85¾	86¼	85¾	86¼
Balt & Ohio	46¾	46¾	46¼	46¼
Beth Steel B	72¾	73¾	72¾	73¾
Brooklyn R T	22½	22½	22½	22½
Can Pacific	159	161	159	160⅝
Cal Petrol Pf	70¾	70¾	70¾	70¾
Can Pacific	158¾	160	158½	160
Cen Leather	60¾	61¼	60¾	61¼
Cer De Pasco	42	42¼	42	42¼
Chandler	112½	113¾	111½	113½
Ches & Ohio	55¼	56¼	55¼	56¼
Chic Mil & St Paul	38½	39½	38½	39½
Chic Mil & St P pf	56¼	57	56¼	56¾
Chic	18	18¼	18	18¼
Chic pf	34	34¼	34	34¼
Col Fuel	37	37	36½	36½
Cons Products	48¼	49¼	47¾	47¾
Cons Gas	97¾	98¼	97¾	98
Crucible Steel	56	56¾	55¾	56¾
Cuba Cane Sug	21¾	22¼	21¾	22¼
Cuba Cane Sug pf	73¼	74	73¼	74
Distillers Sec	42¼	42¾	42¼	42¾
Dome Mines	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Distillers Corp	37½	38¼	37½	38¼
Erie	15¾	15¾	15¾	16
Erie 1st pf	25¼	25¼	25¼	26¼
Gaston W & W	50¾	51¼	50¾	51¼
Gen Cigar	90¾	92¼	90¾	92¼
Gen Motors	134½	137½	134½	137½
Goodrich	69¾	70¾	69¾	70¾
Gt Nor Ore	48¼	48¾	48¼	48¾
Inspiration	44¼	45¼	43¾	44
Interboro Cons	7¾	8	7¾	8
Interboro Cons pf	19	19	19	19½
Int Harvester	104¾	105¾	104¾	105¾
Int Paper	45	45	44¾	45
Kelly-Springfield	85½	86	84¾	84¾
Kennecott	32¾	33¼	32¾	33¼
Lee Rubber	24	24	24	24
Lehigh Valley	82	82¼	82	82¼
Mer Marine	35	35¾	34¾	34¾
Mer Marine pf	103	103½	102¾	103½
Mex Petroleum	91¾	92¾	91¾	92¾
Miami	22¾	23¼	22	22
Midvale Steel	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
Mo Pacific	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Mo Pacific pf	51	51	51	51
Nat'l Conduit	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
Nat'l Lead	47¼	47¾	46¾	47¼
N. Y. Air Brake	97	97	97	97
N Y Central	72¾	74	72¾	73¾
New Haven	26¾	27¼	26¾	27
New Haven pf	90	92	90	92
Okla Cities Gas	26¼	26½	26¼	26½
Oklahoma Prod	34	34¼	34	34¼
Cur Silver	71¾	71¾	71¾	71¾
Pac Mail	22	22	22	22
Penn Petrol	73	73¼	73	73¼
Penn R R	44½	44½	44¼	44¼
Ray Con Copper	15¾	16¼	15¾	16¼
Pierce Oil	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Pitts & W Va	39¾	40	39¾	40
Pr Ser Sec Cor	62¾	62¾	62¾	62¾
Pullman	115	115	115	115
Ry Stl Spring	73¾	73¾	73¾	73¾
Ray Cons	20¼	20	20	20¼
Rep I & S	74¾	74¾	74	74
Royal Dutch	93	93¾	92¾	93¾
Reading	89¼	90	87¾	89¼
Saxon Motor Car	9½	9¾	9½	9¾
Sinclair Oil	25½	26¼	25½	26¼
So Railway	26¾	27¼	26½	27¼
So Pacific	97¼	98¼	97¼	98¼
Studebaker	53¾	55¾	53¾	55¾
Stnd Oil	433¾	435¾	433¾	435¾
Tenn Cop	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾
Texas Co	194½	194½	192¾	192¾
Tex & Pac	29¾	29¾	29¾	29¾
Tobacco Prod	85	86¾	84¾	86¼
Union Pacific	138¾	139¾	137¾	139¼
Un Fruit	124½	124½	124½	124½
Un Retail	120	120	119¼	119¼
U S Alcohol	99¼	99¼	99¼	99¼
U S Rub	77¾	77¾	76¾	77¾
U S Rub 1st pf	92	92	92	92
U S Steel	84½	85	84½	85
Va Car Chem	52¼	53	52¼	53
Utah Copper	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
Westinghouse	41¼	42¾	41¼	42¾
Willys Overland	25¾	26	25¾	25¾
Wilson & Co	69	69¼	69	69

New York Curb

New York Curb opening, bid and asked prices today were:

	Saturday's Closing	Today's Bid	Today's Asked
Aetna	4¾	4¾	4¾
Aetna & Montana	4¾	4¾	4¾
Calumet Jerome	40¢	40¢	40¢
Canada Copper	1 7-16	1	1 1-16
Cons. Copper	1	1	1 1-16
Emden	2¾	2¾	2¾
Emerson Phono	2¾	2¾	2¾
Federal Asphalt	6¾	6¾	6¾
Gilberts	6¾	6¾	6¾
Glenrock	3¾	3¾	3¾
Goldfield Con	3¾	3¾	3¾
Hecla	4¾	4¾	4¾
Houston Oil	85¾	86¼	86¼
Inland Oil	6¼	6¼	6¼
Louisiana	26¾	26¾	26¾
Mercer	3¾	3¾	3¾
Midwest	115¾	115¾	116¼
Nat Enc	3¾	3¾	3¾
Nipissing	8¾	8¾	8¾
Ohio Copper	1¾	1¾	1¾
Ohio Fuel	26¾	26¾	26¾
Ohio Oil	3¾	3¾	3¾
Rex Oil	3¾	3¾	3¾
Ryan Motor	3¾	3¾	3¾
Stand Motor	3¾	3¾	3¾
Submarine	3¾	3¾	3¾
Tonopah Belmont	3¾	3¾	3¾
Tonopah Ext	3¾	3¾	3¾
Wright Martin	3¾	3¾	3¾
Boston Ely	3¾	3¾	3¾
Russian 6½s	3¾	3¾	3¾

WALL STREET BUYING SENDS COTTON HIGHER

New York, Feb. 17.—Cotton market opened 9 to 45 points higher today on further active buying by Wall Street. The demand, which was supplemented by fresh buying months by Liverpool, was supplied partially by houses having Southern connections. At the end of the first effects minimum advance was active, with prices 25 to 21 points higher.

Opening prices were: March 29.00; May 22.25; July 23.85; Sept. 29.85; Dec. 29.10; Jan. 29.10.

Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Corn opened to 1¾ cents higher. Oats were ¾ to ¾ cents higher. Provisions opened lower. Opening prices were: Corn, March, 1.29 to 1.29½; May, 1.24 to 1.24½; Oats, May, 69¼ to ¾. Pork, May, 41.00. Ribs, May, 22.60.

London Stocks and Bonds

London, Feb. 17.—The stock market dull and price changes mixed. Mexicans were firmer but viewed with more caution. There was more activity in oils. Foreign securities were lower, as were rands. Prices were: Consols, 58 15-16, off 1-16; 3½ per cent, par 85⅞, up ⅛; 5s, 98 15-16, off 1-16; 4½s, 90¼; 4s, 102, off ¼; French 5s, 86, steady; Russian 5s, 53½; 4½s, 40; 4s, 41.

URGES FEDERAL BANK AID IN BUILDING

Mark T. Dowling Calls for Liberal Loans to People; Bay State Should Lead

Federal assistance by empowering the Federal Reserve banks to make conservative building loans to stimulate building, which shows a $70,000,000 decrease in Boston alone during the year, is advocated by Mark Tapley Dowling, chairman of the Massachusetts Commission to Revive Building.

A timely report of the United States Department of Labor discloses the fact that New England, with New York State, is $500,000,000 behind in normal building as a result of the war.

In order to regain normal building expansion and cover the setback of the last two years Boston must spend $70,000,000 in addition to her normal expenditure of $50,000,000 during the coming year!

STATE SHOULD LEAD.

Chairman Dowling of Governor Coolidge's commission to revive building is anxious for Massachusetts to take the initiative and stimulate building operations during the present open Winter.

"Boston could do more to help along the proposal to give employment to returning soldiers by forcing contractors to start on three big contracts already let than in any other way. This would be far more practical than the use of the Mayor's $10,000 employment fund recently passed by the City Council," declared Chairman Dowling.

Mr. Dowling is also president of the Commonwealth Real Estate Exchange. He believes that nothing but the assistance of the Federal Reserve banks will save the day.

In an official statement offering a remedy for the present building stagnation, Chairman Dowling says:

"The secretary of the Department of Labor, Governor Coolidge of Massachusetts and our own Mayor Peters have all been advocating and advising a revival of building as a patriotic duty.

BIG NEED OF HOUSES.

"The demand is here, material is on hand and there is plenty of labor, but where is the money? There is actual need for one-family and two-family houses. There is a wide demand for hundreds of new apartment hotels, and as for offices, mercantile buildings and factories, it is almost impossible to find a vacancy.

"In spite of the increased cost of materials and labor, there are men in the country today, having purchased their land way back in pre-war value, ready to go ahead to invest their own time and money in these much-needed new buildings, if the mortgage money can be found to help finance them.

"No savings bank in Metropolitan Boston, although depository of the public money, is willing to join in any way, shape or manner. Where is this money to come from? Why not have the Federal Reserve Banks?

"Get the big public men who are working for the most essential revival of this most important building movement to persuade Congress to give the Federal Reserve Bank the power to make conservative building loans, and you have the answer.

URGES LIBERAL LOANS.

"Empower them to loan 75 per cent. of the actual cost of land and buildings for the term of five or ten years at the rate not to exceed 5 per cent. per annum, with a sinking fund provision that 2½ per cent. be paid on account of the principal each year, and we will have the necessary revival of building.

"Practically 50 per cent. of the labor of the United States is employed in building operations and in widely allied material industries. If you wish to keep labor busy, if you wish to avoid disaster, if you wish to kill Bolshevism in the country, then furnish this money."

BIG TAXPAYERS GET EXTENSION TO JUNE 1

Washington, Feb. 17.—Extension of time in filing of final income tax returns by corporations and large taxpayers will be granted by the office of the Collector of Internal Revenue, according to Collector Daniel C. Roper. The returns must be filed by March 15. In the case of the large taxpayer, the regulations provide that he file before March 15, a tentative estimate of his income tax must be filed, accompanied by at least one-fourth of the tax. The taxpayer is then is entitled to forty-five days, or until June 1, to file his final complete return.

HURLEY DOUBTS BRITISH TIED UP OUR SHIPPING

Washington, Feb. 17.—"It can't be possible," said Chairman Edward N. Hurley of the United States Shipping Board, of a report that agents of Great Britain had tied up the principal American exporters in one or more trades under which their exports would be shipped in British bottoms. The report was that British agents in Britain recently announced her 66 per cent. reduction in shipping rates to points scattered over the United States, approaching the big exporters individually and offering the same 66 per cent. reduction in rates if he would agree to ship exclusively in British vessels.

LUMBER YARDS BURNED. 20 HORSES SUFFOCATED

Wilmington, Del., Feb. 17.—Twenty horses were burned and fifty vehicles destroyed in a fire that swept the plants of three lumber companies and an ice and coal firm early today. The fire started in the yard of the Christiana Lumber Company and, fanned by a high wind, spread rapidly. The loss was $700,000.

TO AID RECONSTRUCTION WORK IN ARMENIA

Bedros H. Bashian of Massachusetts avenue, West Lexington, who came to this country from Armenia twenty-six years ago, and has since engaged in agriculture, is to go back to Armenia to do reconstruction work.

BEATRICE HUGHES, Spanish dancer in "Jack o Lantern," who is to become movie actress.

DANCER'S GIFTS INCLUDE FORD AND DIAMOND

By FRED J. McISAAC.

Nearly four centuries ago the Spanish armada was wrecked upon the south coast of Ireland. Some hundreds of the crews reached the shore alive and were bidden from the British soldiers by the hospitable Irish. As time went on they married Irish damsels, and to this day there are people in Ireland who look more like Spaniards than King Alfred.

Why all this history stuff, you demand.

Because the very vivid and picturesque Spanish girl in "Jack o' Lantern" is no Spaniard at all, but as Hibernian as the late P. Murphy's porcine companion.

Her name is Beatrice Hughes, and her residence is Brooklyn, but her parents came direct from "the auld sod."

THREE BIRTHDAYS IN YEAR.

Miss Hughes celebrated her twenty-first birthday for the third time this year a few evenings ago, and the event was recognized by a wide circle of naval and military acquaintances. The host accumulated by the young actress has caused the other members of Fred Stone's troupe to turn the street as Miss Hughes' national flag.

It includes one platinum diamond ring, possible engagement—lady refuses to state.

One very elaborate suit case completely equipped with gold toilet set and other appurtenances.

One Ford.

One gallon of gasoline.

Fifteen bunches of roses and orchids, each bunch containing twenty-one blossoms.

Thirty-two invitations to dinner.

This is only Miss Hughes' third season in the show business, and already she is making the exploits of the Floradora sextet look like last week's wash.

"All except matrimonially," I said to her. "Two or three of those girls married dukes and earls."

HAS NO THOUGHT OF MARRIAGE.

"No girl with an eye to the future would take a chance on one of those kind of people nowadays. Being an earl, or a duke, or a king, is as unhealthy as nursing a friend with the flu. And you are apt to end much more painfully.

"I don't intend to get married for years yet. I am going to work hard this Summer to appear in pictures."

"Got a contract?"

"Yes, and it's funny how I got it. I saw a movie not long ago and was much impressed by the way it was put on. I sat down and wrote a letter of appreciation to the director. We started a correspondence. I sent on my photograph. Next thing you know I got an offer from him to go to California and do two pictures. With a round ticket from New York included.

"You must be a very skillful writer."

"That must be it," replied Miss Hughes. "It couldn't have been the photograph, could it?"

WOULD NAME MAYNARD SCHOOL FOR ROOSEVELT

Maynard, Feb. 17.—In the warrant for the March town meeting, an article asking the voters to name the new school on Nason street the Theodore Roosevelt School will be acted upon.

63 NEW ENGLAND BOYS AMONG CASUALTIES

Boston Sergeant Reported Seriously Wounded; 31 More Bay State Boys Included

Washington, Feb. 17.—Two casualty lists submitted today by the War Department gives a total of 794 names, divided as follows:

Killed in action, 10; died of wounds, 10; died from accident and other causes, 8; died of disease, 39; wounded severely, 235; wounded slightly, 220; wounded (degree undetermined), 281.

Sixty-three are credited to New England.

Massachusetts, 32; Maine, 5; Connecticut, 17; New Hampshire, 3; Rhode Island, 5; Vermont, 1.

Thirteen of the list are:

MASSACHUSETTS.
DIED OF DISEASE.
PRIVATE.
Elmer O. Waldon, Plainville.
WOUNDED SEVERELY.
SERGEANT.
Leonard Mason, No. 368 Congress street, Boston.
CORPORAL.
Leslie Porritt, 1 Hill street, Winchen.
PRIVATES.
Allen Hirshlund, Hingham.
Joseph Ernest Senecal, Pittsfield.
Francis E. McKay, No. 83 Buena Vista Park, Chelsea.
Edwin A. Morin, New Bedford.
Thomas Mulhall, Cliffside, Mass.
Jack McKenzie, No. 409 Green street, Cambridge.
James McKenzie, Lexington.
Francis H. Hall, 8 Unity street, Boston.
WOUNDED (DEGREE UNDETERMINED).
PRIVATE.
William C. Harbour, No. 2 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester.
SERGEANT.
Howard Brahm, Fall River.
Anthony Guarino, No. 74 Waverly street, Cambridge.
BUGLER.
Henry Joseph Sorrell, No. 8 Hope avenue, Waltham.
PRIVATES.
Albert W. Douglas, Kingston.
Herbert Hall, Hyde Park.
Mark J. Fitzgerald, No. 132 Putnam avenue, Cambridge.
George Pelltier, Fitchburg.
Thomas Joseph Sennott, Salem.
Stephen Lynch, No. 815 Quincy street, Boston.
WOUNDED SLIGHTLY.
SERGEANT.
Jean Sisson, No. 48 Trident street, Winthrop.
CORPORALS.
Isadore Keliher, No. 863 Blue Hill avenue,

26 DAYS MORE FOR INCOME TAX FILING

Drastic Penalties for Those Who Fail to Obey Law

But twenty-six days remain in which to file your federal income tax return. After March 15 all who fail to file their return and deposit 25 per cent of their 1918 tax will be subjected to drastic penalties and compelled to suffer additional taxes.

All employers of labor are obliged to file a complete statement containing the names and addresses of all persons to whom was paid more than $800 during 1918. The income tax collector will get you if you don't watch your step.

BLANKS MAILED THIS WEEK.

Blanks for making proper returns will be mailed this week to all individuals who filed an income tax return last year. If you do not receive a blank you must take the initiative and secure one, as the law fixes March 15. The remainder of the tax may be paid in three quarterly installments during 1919.

It is the duty of every individual liable to the tax to file a return without being requested to do so by the treasury department. Every person whose income during the calendar year, 1918, was $1,000 or more, and every married person living with husband or wife whose income was $2,000 or more must file a return, even though they may not be liable for an actual tax. $200 may be added to the amount of exemption for each month dead or dependent relative incapable of self-support who is maintained in the household.

MUST PAY 6 PER CENT. TAX.

Under the existing law individuals must pay an income tax of 6 per cent. on all net income in excess of exemptions up to and including $4,000. Net income in excess of $4,000 over exemptions or "credits" must pay a tax of 12 per cent. A graduated surtax beginning at 1 per cent. applies to all taxable income above the first $5,000.

Corporations must pay excess profit and war profit taxes in addition to the corporation income tax of 12 per cent. The war profit tax for 1918 is levied on a graduated scale, rates range from 20 to 60 per cent. this year, but are reduced to 40 per cent. for the year 1920 by the present bill.

TABLE OF DEDUCTIONS.

For the purpose of assisting be-nighted individuals in making up their income tax the following is considered table of deductions and "credits" is offered:

Subtract from your gross income all income from Liberty bonds or other government loans on less than $5,000 aggregate holdings. All Liberty loans are wholly exempt from the so-called "normal tax," i. e., the tax on net income under $5,000.

Ignore completely all interest from municipal bonds of the United States and their sub-divisions and of the possessions of the United States. Income from such obligations is exempt from all income tax—normal or surtax.

All dividends from corporations subject to a tax on their net earnings are exempt from the normal tax. Dividends paid out of earnings accumulated before March 1, 1913, are entirely exempt also.

Deduct:—

(a)—Proceeds from life insurance policies paid to the beneficiaries or the estate of the insured.

(b)—Income from foreign governments from deposits in the United States.

(c)—Amounts received through accident or workingmen's compensation insurance policies.

(d)—Amounts of $5,000 or less received by a person in the military or naval forces of the United States as payment for active services during the present war.

(e)—The value of property acquired by gift, bequest, devise or descent.

(f)—Royalties for certain accepted and successful war inventions.

If the individual is engaged in business or trade, he may deduct:

(a)—All ordinary and necessary expenses incidental to carrying on the business.

(b)—Interest on mortgage and business loans.

(c)—Local taxes.

(d)—Losses of repairs and replacements, though not of "improvements."

(e)—Losses not covered by insurance.

(f)—Bad debts charged off.

(g)—A reasonable allowance for depreciations.

(h)—Contributions for charitable, religious, scientific and educational purposes.

(i)—A reasonable allowance for salaries or other compensation for personal services actually rendered.

The taxpayer should bear in mind that there are four things which are NOT deductible in figuring net income. These are:

(1)—Personal, living or family expenses.

(2)—Amounts expended for permanent improvements which increase the value of an estate.

(3)—Sums spent in restoring property for which an allowance has been made.

(4)—Any premium paid on a life insurance policy on the life of any employee, the business where the taxpayer is a beneficiary.

An example of the individual whose wages place him above $75 a week follows:

If he is a married man with two minor children his legal exemption would be $2,400, which amount is to be deducted from his yearly income of $3,500.

From the resulting $1,100 he may deduct $800 more—representing a small legacy, the cost of shingling his house, and $80 interest on Liberty Bonds. The $780 still received as "income" (from whatever source) is the actual portion upon which he must pay 6 per cent. to the Federal government. In this case his actual tax would be $42.

Newport Post for Koehne

Newport, R. I., Feb. 17.—Governor Beeckman has appointed Attorney Charles H. Koehne, Jr., as chief counselor, to succeed Jeremiah D. Mahoney, the present Mayor of Newport.

MELVIN A. EARLY, prominent Boston Elk and member of the executive committee on Elks' War Relief Ball.

GOVERNOR TO ATTEND BOSTON ELKS' BALL

Governor Coolidge and his staff, Mayor Peters and State and city officials, with several grand lodge representatives, will attend the war relief ball of the Boston Lodge of Elks at the Copley-Plaza ballroom Thursday evening. A concert will precede the dancing.

NOTED "HELL FIGHTERS" PARADE IN NEW YORK

New York, Feb. 17.—Nearly 2,000 strong, the dusky "hell fighters" of the famous 369th Infantry—formerly the "Fighting Fifteenth" of the National Guard—returned to New York from Camp Upton today and paraded up Fifth avenue to the plaudits of thousands. Colonel Hayward, organizer and commander of the unit, headed the parade.

VICE-ADMIRAL WILSON ON HOMEWARD VOYAGE

Washington, Feb. 17.—Vice-Admiral Henry B. Wilson, who has been critically ill with pneumonia, following an attack of influenza is returning to America on his flagship the New Mexico, it was announced at the Navy department today. The New Mexico is escorting the George Washington upon which President Wilson is making his return trip.

Used Cars and Accessories.

Bargains--Used Tires

5,000 of them must be sold this week. World's largest stores stock system. We have all sizes in stock. Largest stock of used tires in Boston.

Send This Ad In to Secure Our Special Prices

Boston Auto Tire Exchange

394 COLUMBUS AVE., BOSTON

7-6, Back Bay, 1147

1919—OVERLAND—1919

MODEL 90 TOURING, 4-pass., 3,800 miles, like new, high mileage on gas, tires and oil, bumper, one spare tire, rims, in real thrift car, $775. GEO. CARLSON, Harvard av., Allston 29.

KISSEL CAR

4-CYL. Victoria top, special job seat covers, bumper, spare tire, in fine condition, ready to run, must be sold to drive next Sunday, $600. GEO. CARLSON, Harvard av., Allston 29.

WE HAVE PARTS FOR

1916—Hudson, 1911-1914 Cadillac; 1911-1913 Packard; Pope, Hartford and Stoddard-Dayton; Model 30 Winton; 1911 Model 30 West Cedar st., Boston. Tel. Haymarket 4100.

FOR SALE

1916 OVERLAND, 1912 Packard, 6-6 touring car, representing bargains. Overland Department, Washington Street Garage, 324 Washington st., tel. Brookline 5080.

1917—REO—1917

5-PASS., 4-cyl., looks and runs like new, thrift car, bargain for late summer. See GEO CARLSON, Harvard av., tel. Saugus 29.

ROXBURY SERVICE GARAGE

31 WALNUT AV., ROXBURY

will pay cash for late commercial cars for Fords, Buicks, Dodges and Overlands, Roxbury 6519.

FOR SALE—1-ton Knox-Springfield truck, formerly used by large department store; also Ford service station, 46 Bennington st., East Boston.

REOS! REOS! REOS! bought and sold, parts one-third list; 3-ton trucks or 6-pass. cars $2 per; special parts. Tel. Roxbury 2941.

NEW sedan and limousine, reasonable, for weddings, theatres, anywhere; "STEEVES"; Roxbury 2630-R.

AVON MACK TRUCK, 3-ton condition; will demonstrate; will sell cheap or trade for touring car. Rear 59&61 St. Warren av.

Motorcycles and Bicycles.

EASY TERMS on motorcycles and bicycles; a large assortment in stock. MYEROW BROS., 258 Columbus av., Boston.

BARGAINS, new bicycles, best makes, cut prices, Saturdays and Mondays. 55 Dover st., Boston.

Travel Guide.

NEW YORK $4.40 $7.70

Price Includes War Tax

Via Rail and Boat

Latest connecting trains from So. Station. Tickets and staterooms at Metropolitan Ticket Agency, 332 Washington st., Boston

COLONIAL LINE Phone F. H. 2788

BAY STATE LINE VIA RAIL & BOAT NEW YORK $5.20

STATEROOMS $1.00 and $2.00

Steel steamships Georgia and Tennessee

Most Frequent Sailings. Tickets and staterooms at South Station.

Real Estate—Belmont.

TO BUY, sell or mortgage property see WILLARD E. CHERRY, Camb. 633 or 5410.

Real Estate—Roxbury.

ELM HILL SACRIFICE.

SINGLE house, 12 rooms, 9,000 sq. ft. land in good condition with all modern improvements, combination heater, mortgage $5,500 for 3 years at 6 per cent; assessed for $8,500; price $6,000. W. KRINE & SON, 200 Warren st., Roxbury; phone Roxbury 3550.

Real Estate—Winthrop.

HOUSES for sale, Summer cottages, room registry, 3000BR, Highland Station, tel. 1014-R.

Real Estate—Miscellaneous.

WALL PAPER WE HAVE A LARGE LINE OF OATMEALS BICKEL'S 180 Friend St. Near North Station

PAINT $1.85 a Gal. 48 Shades Brushes Tooth Prices Varnishes at a proportionate saving. FALVEY PAINT WAREHOUSE (2 Stores) 59 Canal St. and 56 Pearl St.

FARM—$875, $50 DOWN

BALANCE 10 months easy payments; 5-room story and half house, with hen-houses, 8 miles from Worcester; 1 hour to Boston; 2 acres of land; South Framingham. 6 per cent. Mortgages. Send for Catalog No. 25. Strout Farm Agency, 150 Nassau st., New York.

FLOOR VARNISH that has made a reputation in our paint shop. Clear and "dull" brand. Guaranteed. Sold by Alfred Faulx Co., 118 Summer st.

FREE CIRCULAR describing 50 farms for sale in Mass. and New Hampshire. S. D. JENNINGS, Winchester, N. H.

Real Estate—Cambridge.

CAMBRIDGE BARGAIN

56 HIGH ST. off Green Street; house is a block. Bus; condition; modern; 9 rooms; $3,750 cash terms. OLIVA, 1269 Beacon st., Brookline; tel. Brook 2700.

Real Estate—Dorchester.

DOR. HEATER. Near Crescent st., 10-room house, 4 and 6 rooms; steam heated; let for $66 office; easy terms. Bellevue st.

Real Estate Wanted.

WILL pay cash for single house not to exceed $4,000 and $500 down. Y 26, Boston American.

Business Property.

STORE FOR RENT

NEW building at store window. Rent per location, $900. Communicate with owner for appointment. $75 per month. GEO. W. JOHNSON, 1260 Boylston st., tel. Brook 2700.

376 SHAWMUT AV., basement store, 20 ft. by 28; WORCESTER 842, good store, $15 mo. A. S. TUCKER CO., 9-12 Winthrop sq.

Business Opportunities.

MOVING picture machines, Scotts and theatre equipment, new and 2d hand; big discounts. R. O. WETMORE, 37 Winchester st.

SHOE REPAIR shop to be sold this week at your own price; owner must leave; equipped 38 years. 6½ Bulfinch sq.

Storage.

HUB STORAGE WAREHOUSE

819 Washington St. Tel. Beach 5

Rooms $1 a mo. up. Licensed and Bonded.

Farms.

FARMS FOR SALE

SEVERAL large farms with stock and tools; price $5,000 to $60,000. Call, write 40 Court st., room 1,210; telephone Main 3250.

Wanted.

WANTED—Linen counters, stools, tables, desks, register, coffee urn. Telephone Chelsea 76.

Apartments—Back Bay.

BACK BAY

SUITES, 4 and 5 rooms, unheated, $18 to $20. Apply 108 Huntington av.

Apartments—South End.

29 MAJOR ST., 4 rooms and bath, $12 mo. 6 rooms and bath, $15 mo. 350 SHAWMUT AV., 2 rooms, bath, $8 mo. 11 WHITTIER PL., 2 rooms, range, $7.50. A. TUCKER CO., 9-12 Washington st.

Apartments—Winthrop.

FURNISHED apartment to let for the season. A. J. YOUNG, 904 Shirley st., tel. Winthrop 1.

Furnished Rooms—Miscellaneous.

HOTEL WATERSTON

COR. of Bowdoin st. and Bulfinch pl.—Most central permanent 82 rm. rp., transient $1 day and upward; 200 rooms, 125 baths, hot water, steam-heated rooms; just over 4th, Hotel Bowdoin at head of stairs.

MEN, MEN, MEN

CAN get up-to-date rooms the day and $2.50 week up. HOTEL ERIE, 60 Fremont st.

Furnished Rooms—Back Bay.

BLACKWOOD ST., 12—Suite 7 room and kitchen, all conveniences, $5.

Furnished Rooms—Cambridge.

BROADWAY, 378—Near Harvard sq.; nicely furnished rooms with kitchenette, housekeeping.

BROOKLINE st., 290—Suite 2, rooms furnished or unfurnished, steam heat, 3 connecting rooms.

OXFORD ST., 124—2 rooms with kitchenette or single. Tel. Camb. 5400-R.

Furnished Rooms—Charlestown.

MEAD ST., 34—2 rooms for light housekeeping, heated.

RUSSELL ST., 85—Charlestown; a furnished front room on bath room floor.

Furnished Rooms—Roxbury.

ARE YOU looking for furnished room in Roxbury? Call at the ROXBURY ROOMS REGISTRY, 76 Waverly st.; tel. 1088 Rox.

FRONT ROOM and kitchenette, gas, stove, bath, hot water; piano; $6 per week. Dudley 1438-M.

NICELY furnished room, well heated; business gentleman preferred. 9 Peters pl. 1405-M.

ROXBURY, 49—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, set tubs and range; phone.

WEST COTTAGE ST., 68—Two connected rooms for light housekeeping; adults.

Furnished Rooms—Somerville.

CROSS ST., 42—Light housekeeping room, kitchen privileges; steam heat; everything new.

CROSS ST., 102—Light housekeeping, all imp.; other rooms. Somerville 1722-M.

SCHOOL ST., 26—2 rooms and kitchenette, also garage; will offer 20 Ford. 2941-J.

Furnished Rooms—South End.

RUTLAND ST., 4—Front parlor, housekeeping suite; sg. room, side room, running h. and c. water every room; steam heat.

WALTHAM ST., 74—Attractive rooms, light housekeeping, coal, gas stoves; side rm., kitchenette.

WASHINGTON ST., 660—Steam-heated rooms; will let to 3 or 5 evenings. Tel. Beach 1.

WORCESTER ST., 54—Well-heated square, side rooms, suitable for light housekeeping.

DINING ROOM and kitchen, ideal for housekeeping, direct front. 3 West Newton st.

Board and Rooms.

REFINED HOME for elderly or invalid; terms moderate. Tel. Dorchester 4723-W.

RUTLAND ST., 68—Nice, warm suite with first-class table board; home cooking; tel.

Female Help Wanted.

GIRLS WANTED

TO work in candy factory, good pay, steady work. RICHMOND CANDY CO., 74 Lyman st., Boston.

LAUNDRY HELP

WANTED—For apartments. Address Y 2, Boston American.

5 LADIES WANTED

NEAT appearing, for home to home soliciting $25 to $35 week; experience unnecessary. Apply either 2-3 p. m. or 11 Milk st., room 46.

SCREEN ACTING

TAUGHT, practical course for movies. PLAZA FILM CO., 1482 Tremont st., Boston.

PAPER BOX MAKERS

EXPERIENCED on fancy candy boxes. HERBERT COOK, 403 Commercial st., Boston.

GIRLS or BOYS.

$30 MONTH to start, room, board, washing. INTERNATIONAL BUREAU, 244 Tremont st., room 4.

EXPERIENCED GIRLS wanted on hand embroidery. COLUMBIA CMB. CO., 670 Wash. st.

GIRLS wanted for bindery. WASHINGTON PRESS, 242 Dover st., Boston.

STRONG colored girl wanted for errands and cleaning office. Apply at COLLETT & CO., 231 Hanover st., Boston.

WANTED—Experienced bindery marker; good pay, steady work. R. LANDSBERG, 378 Harrison av., cor. Rose st., city.

WANTED—Experienced waitress at once for hotel in Newton. Tel. at once Newton North 2127.

WANTED—Waitress. 736 Broadway, Everett.

Female Help Wanted.

Forewoman

For hand dipping room in Boston factory; must be good manager; excellent pay, good opportunity to right person. Address Y 55, Boston American.

SHOE FACTORY

WANTED—Experienced Back Stay Stitchers and Fancy Stitchers

VICTORIA SHOE CO.

16 NEW ST., EAST BOSTON

Experienced Wrappers and Packers

TOP RAISING CO., 251 Causeway st. Employment department, 2d floor.

EXPERIENCED Millinery Makers Wanted

LONG season, $18 and up. HUB HAT WORKS, 172 Summer st.

STITCHERS

WANTED on middle linings. E. L. B. MANUFACTURING CO., 15 Beattie St., Cambridge.

PAPER BOX

WANTED, experienced girls, stripping machine operators. Apply to WM. WALTER & WALTER'S BARNES & SON, Inc., 53 Farnsworth st., Boston.

Girls for General Factory Work

APPLY BOSTON BRAID MFG. CO., 10 Tower st., Boston.

LAUNDRY HELP

PERSONS, folders and shakers, also girl to assist ironing; those wanted at the HIGHLAND LAUNDRY, 31 Geneva av., near Grove Hall, Dorchester.

LAUNDRY HELP

PERSONS, folders and shakers wanted at once. Apply to THE AMERICAN LAUNDRY & SUPPLY CO., 1 Dorrance st., Roxbury.

GIRLS OVER 16

WANTED—Girls to learn paper box work; steady work; good wages. WALTER S. BARNES & SON, Inc., 53 Farnsworth st.

LAUNDRY HELP

MARKERS and sorters, folders and pilers. COMMONWEALTH LAUNDRY, 30 Franklin st., Cambridge.

EMBROIDERERS

WANTED, one kind of embroiderers, no work taken out. ADOLF COLLECT & CO., 39 Bromfield st., room 1.

MOTHER'S HELPER

WANTED, small family. Tel. Roxbury 0276.

Female Help Miscellaneous.

ARE YOU TALENTED?

LADIES and gentlemen with any talent are wanted for the new Boston musical comedy; trained; refer all Boston managers; reasonable. HAILAND STUDIOS OF THE THEATRE, Huntington Chambers.

LADIES and gentlemen will train you for the movies, dramatic or vaudeville; call or write; circular sharp. 190 Boylston st., room 402.

Male Help Wanted.

AUTOMOBILE PAINTERS WANTED

APPLY TO

Henley Kimball Co.

157 Vassar Street

Cambridge

SIDE LASTERS

TOE LASTERS

PULLERS OVER

HEEL SCOURERS

Thomas G. Plant Co.,

Cor. CENTRE AND BICKFORD STS. JAMAICA PLAIN.

3 Young Men

About 18 Years of Age for General Work.

—APPLY—

JOHN WORLEY CO.,

42 STANHOPE ST.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SPREADER MAN

Preference given to colored man. Apply to WYATT TROTT, 1 Lyman st., Hingham or W. T. Woodford.

BOY WANTED

FOR office work, errands in connection house, $7. ESTOF & LATHER REPORTER CO., 508 Columbus av., tel. Roxbury 0.

RADIATOR REPAIR MAN

FIRST-CLASS man wanted; highest wages paid. Apply to BOSTON RADIATOR CO., 1458 Columbus av., tel. Roxbury 0.

AUTO PAINTERS.

3 BOOKS to come and learn; the cheapest man. BONNEY'S, 61 Sutton st., Brookline; tel. Brook 2700.

EXTRACTOR MAN

WANTED. Apply at new GLENDALE LAUNDRY CO., 70 Broadway, Everett.

EXPERIENCED MAN to drive milk from retail route; married man preferred. MUTUAL MILK CO., 218 Columbus av.

BOY wanted, strong, bright boy or young man for errands; at the HIGHLAND LAUNDRY, 43 Geneva av., near Grove Hall, Dorchester.

BOYS for errands and inside work in printing office. WASHINGTON PRESS, 242 Dover st., Boston.

Male Help Wanted.

Automobile Painters

EXPERIENCED painters and body men wanted; steady work; good wages. HENRY ARMATAGE, 2d floor, 1 Cedar st., Cambridge.

Male Help—Miscellaneous.

Buy At This Bargain Store

Men's Black Cotton Work Overshirts.....$0.49
6-8 Men's Fine Soft Hats.....1.00
Men's Fine Work Shirts.....1.69
Men's Fine Linen Shirts.....4.98
Men's Fine Work Pants.....2.98
Men's Fine Dress Pants.....4.98
18-00 Men's Traveling Trunks.....12.98
Men's Fine Dress Suits.....7.98
2-00 Men's Fine Bronzed Work Gloves.....1.98
2-00 Men's Tailor Quality Gloves.....1.48
Men's Fine Quality Caps, Visors, Rags.....0.48
Men's Fine Work Planed Shoes.....1.98
Men's Fine Dress Shoes.....2.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Work Shoes.....3.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Dress Shoes.....4.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Work Boots.....4.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Dress Boots.....5.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Work Boots.....6.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Dress Boots.....7.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Work Boots.....8.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Dress Boots.....9.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Work Boots.....10.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Dress Boots.....11.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Work Boots.....12.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Dress Boots.....13.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Work Boots.....14.98
Men's Fine Quality Leather Dress Boots.....15.98

BUY AT THIS BARGAIN STORE

UNION HAT CO.

138 Hanover Street

DON'T FORGET THE NUMBER

Male Situations Wanted.

EXPERIENCED man wants to run a farm on shares; can furnish help and stock; 20 years' experience; good references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED soldier wants position as night watchman; has had experience; can furnish best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED soldier would like position as mail carrier; has had experience in this work. EDWARD J. WHITEHEAD, 70 Cedar st., Boston.

DISCHARGED soldier wants position as chauffeur; has had experience in the army; can drive any car; best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED SOLDIER must have a 40 to 50 hour week; has had experience in the army; best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED soldier, 21, desires position in wool, dry goods or grocery store; has had experience in all kinds of work; good references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED soldier wants position as chauffeur; has had experience in the army; can drive any car; best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED SOLDIER would like a 40 to 50 hour week; has had experience in the army; best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED soldier, 21, desires position in wool, dry goods or grocery store; has had experience in all kinds of work; good references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED soldier wants position as night watchman; has had experience; can furnish best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED soldier would like position as mail carrier; has had experience in this work. EDWARD J. WHITEHEAD, 70 Cedar st., Boston.

DISCHARGED soldier wants position as chauffeur; has had experience in the army; can drive any car; best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED SOLDIER must have a 40 to 50 hour week; has had experience in the army; best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

EXPERIENCED CLERK, furniture with moderate line of dry goods; best references; 20 years' experience. Address R. 10, Boston American.

A DRIVER wants position; has had experience in the army; can drive any car; best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

EXPERIENCED CLERK, furniture with moderate line of dry goods; best references; 20 years' experience. Address R. 10, Boston American.

A DRIVER wants position; has had experience in the army; can drive any car; best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

EXPERIENCED CLERK, furniture with moderate line of dry goods; best references; 20 years' experience. Address R. 10, Boston American.

A DRIVER wants position; has had experience in the army; can drive any car; best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

Male Situations Wanted.

ASSISTANT TO EXECUTIVE

Resident student, Mass. Inst. of Technology graduate; 4 years' experience as assistant to executive of a reliable concern; best of references; desires position with future; $2,500. Address Advertiser, 62 Boylston st., Boston.

A DRIVER wants position; has had experience in the army; can drive any car; best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED sailor, extensive experience in salesroom, for nine years with one of largest piano houses in United States, would be pleased to consider a proposition with reliable house handling similar line or specialty; Chicago or Texas preferred. Can furnish best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

DISCHARGED soldier, experienced in the printing line at whipper, packer, paper stock room, wants position; can furnish best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

A YOUNG MAN, 20 yrs. old, recently in the service, wants steady work. Will take position in either wholesale shoe house or retail shoe store. Has had 2 years' experience in English high; experience on both retail and wholesale trade. Address MAXWELL BERG, 221 Humboldt av., Roxbury, Mass.

Male Help Wanted.

A YOUNG man, 19 yrs. old, wants a position in a printing shop; has had 2 years' experience in a fair education and a willing worker; will work for reasonable wages. Address 1 Bowdoin sq., Boston.

A YOUNG MAN, 20 yrs. old, recently in the service, wants steady work. Will take position in either wholesale shoe house or retail shoe store. Has had 2 years' experience in English high; experience on both retail and wholesale trade. Address MAXWELL BERG, 221 Humboldt av., Roxbury, Mass.

Male Situations Wanted.

A YOUNG MAN, 19 yrs. old, wants a position in a printing shop; has had 2 years' experience in a fair education and a willing worker; will work for reasonable wages. Address 1 Bowdoin sq., Boston.

A YOUNG MAN, 19 yrs. old, wants a position in a printing shop; has had 2 years' experience in a fair education and a willing worker; will work for reasonable wages. Address 1 Bowdoin sq., Boston.

A YOUNG MAN, discharged from navy, wants position as driver; has had 2 years' experience in the army; can drive any car; best references; will work reasonable hours; salary of no importance. Address R. 10, Boston American.

A YOUNG MAN, 24 yrs. of age, honorably discharged from navy, desires position as chauffeur; has had experience in motor boats; can furnish best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

A YOUNG MAN, discharged from army after 2 years' service, wants position as driver; has had experience as chauffeur; 1 year's experience in motor boats; can furnish best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

A YOUNG MAN, discharged from army after 2 years' experience as chauffeur; 1 year's experience in motor boats; can furnish best of references. Address R. 10, Boston American.

A YOUNG MAN, discharged from army after 2 years' experience as driver; has had 2 years'

EDITORIAL PAGE OF THE **BOSTON AMERICAN** FEBRUARY. 17, 1919 BOSTON.

Do Your Bit for Our Brave Boys---Sign Six Months' Pay Petition

The nation-wide endorsement that has already been accorded to the American's proposal to continue to every man released from the army, navy and marine corps his **full pay**, in monthly instalments, for six months after his discharge is gratifying, but it is not surprising. The surprising thing is that any intelligent citizen, in Congress or out of it, should venture to oppose a measure so expedient and so just.

The sudden ending of the war is sending back to the industrial struggle for a livelihood hundreds of thousands of young men who if the conflict had prolonged for another year or two would never have come back. It has also relieved the taxpayers of a tremendous addition to their already heavy war burdens. Both have great cause for thanksgiving, but with a difference.

The overwhelming majority of the men who have entered the army not only risked everything, but sacrificed much. Their business prospects were interrupted, they lost their opportunity to share the increased earnings of those exempt from military service, and their dependents were left in straightened circumstances, made more difficult in countless instances by months of delay in the receipt of allotments.

But the payers of income taxes and excess profit taxes, big as these taxes are, have on the whole profited greatly out of the war, and their wealth has increased more rapidly than ever before. They can well afford the slight increase of taxation which the six months' extension of pay would involve, and they will still rise winners from the war game in which the men in the ranks risked and lost so much.

This payment to the men whose magnificent dash and devotion brought the war to a sudden ending—an insignificant fraction after all of what a few weeks' prolongation of hostilities would have cost in added taxation alone—will do more than anything yet suggested to ease the country over the trying period of industrial reconstruction.

It will greatly relieve the problems of unemployment. It will save many thousands of meritorious workers from losing jobs in which they have made good, and earnings which they greatly need. It will give the discharged men a chance, if they care to improve it, to fit themselves for better jobs than they left when they entered the service, and it will also refit them with the civilian outfit which they must have, and the cost of which—estimated to average not less than one hundred dollars per man—must otherwise come out of their future earnings.

Congress, unfortunately, seems now that the war is over to be much more interested in political fence-building than in the welfare of the boys in khaki. The party leaders may have reason to know that the six months' pay extension is not particularly popular in the regions where the fountains of campaign contributions spring—but congressional candidates need votes as well as campaign funds.

The vast number of signatures to the American's six months' pay petition is showing them where the votes are.

Help on the object-lesson by signing today.

Seditious Conduct of Senator Lewis

Senator Lewis has introduced a resolution instructing the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to investigate conditions in Mexico and to

recommend to the Senate such courses as would be proper for the United States government to take that will make secure in Mexico under the present government the lives and property of Americans.

Good heavens! Does Senator Lewis know that this is sedition? Does Senator Lewis know that he ought to be deported right away quick before he contaminates somebody else?

We know that this is sedition because every time the Hearst papers have stated that our government should take effective measures to "make secure in Mexico the lives and property of Americans" the Hearst papers have been denounced as seditious by patented professional patriots and by foreign propagandists and by all the purblind advocates of Great Britain first and America last of all.

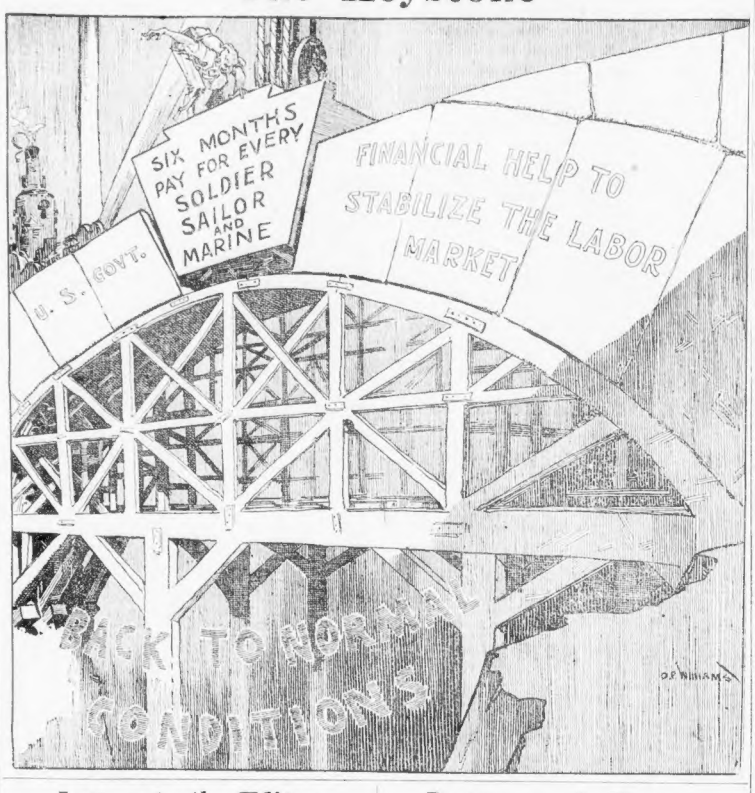
However, if the Hearst papers were seditious in urging that our government protect the lives and property of Americans in Mexico during the past five years, then Senator Lewis also is seditious and pro-German as well, and everything else that is downright wicked, for urging the same course of action now.

Or if by any chance Senator Lewis is **NOT** seditious and pro-German in urging the protection of American lives and property in Mexico now, then the Hearst papers were not, maybe, perhaps wholly seditious in urging the same course during the past five years—in which case it would seem that the real offence of the Hearst papers was in urging a common sense and patriotic policy toward Mexico five years before anybody else of importance in public life or in journalism had gumption enough to see the right thing to do and to urge the government to do it.

But as the National Security League and other kindred fake-triotic organizations could never afford to admit that the Hearst papers were right, they ought to turn their lucrative activities in the direction of Senator Lewis and prove that he is wrong—wickedly and disloyally wrong.

We can see but one course to take if the diabolical pro-German propaganda of Senator Lewis is not to contaminate the Senate, infect the House of Representatives, corrupt the public mind and eventually make the United States a German colony. Senator Lewis must be deported. There is nothing else to do. Mere internment will not answer at all.

The Keystone


SIX MONTHS PAY FOR EVERY SOLDIER SAILOR AND MARINE
U. S. GOVT.
FINANCIAL HELP TO STABILIZE THE LABOR MARKET
BACK TO CIVIL JOBS
O.F. WILLIAMS

Letters to the Editor

Asks Better Service

Editor Boston American:

May I, as a patron of the Bay State Railway, appeal through your paper, for the benefit of many others and myself for better service during the hours of 7.30 and 9 a. m., from Neponset to the shipyard via Hancock street, during which time the majority of the office employes of the Fore River Shipbuilding Corporation are going to work. Are there not special orders by which a motorman must stop for passengers or is it according to the way he feels? It looks very much like the latter to most of the patrons. Only this morning, I was standing with at least twenty others waiting for a car at the corner of Beach and Hancock streets and a car came, with about twenty passengers on it, and not to our surprise, for it often happens, so we expect it occasionally, but to our disadvantage and disgust sped right by and failed to stop for us. What we are trying to dope out, is how they get that way? Moreover, we will grant that the motormen are justified in not stopping when the cars are jammed, as they generally are, but what does this get the people that must wait from twenty or forty minutes for another car, and there are those at every other white post? The result is that all those unable to board the first two or three cars are all late for work and you know as well as I that this being late for work most every morning reflects no credit whatsoever on their record, although it is not their fault. They do not accept an excuse like that in a very large and especially well regulated office. We will readily admit that the service at closing time is very good and there are plenty of cars, but is it not much more important to us to get to our work on time than it is to get home late?

Now there is no question but that there are plenty more cars in the barns and plenty of people to occupy them, because we see them in there every morning when we pass by and what we wish to find out is why are all these cars idle when they are mostly needed?

The Bay State Street Railway has posted signs telling the people to co-operate with them as they have new tracks, new cars, better service and although they don't state this we know, higher fares. Now if they think that we are a bunch of hicks up here they have another guess. They were clamoring for a higher rate of fares and they got it. Now we are clamoring for better service. We know they have new tracks, somewhere, and we also know that they have some new cars, for we saw one the other day, sticking out of the barn, but we have yet to be shown what they mean by better service.

A PATRON.

Zone Suggestion

Editor Boston American:

I understand that the "L" zone extends to corner Savin Hill avenue and Dorchester avenue, Fields Corner line. Passengers have been accustomed to get off between Savin Hill avenue and the Fields Corner car barn, which is the end of the route. It is about three minutes' ride to the car barn. No doubt the passengers will not pay the extra nickel if this is the zone limit, and I don't blame them. Therefore the car will go to the barn practically empty, using no less light and power, making no material difference if the passengers were accommodated between the proposed limit of zone and the nearest transfer station beyond, which is the end of the route. The same applies to the Geneva avenue line which terminates at the same Fields Corner car barn. The Grove Hall line has the same conditions. Therefore, I suggest that the proposed limits be extended to the nearest important transfer station beyond proposed limits of zones if within a few minutes' ride.

A. M.

Dorchester.

Food Pirates

Editor Boston American:

Let me congratulate your paper for the splendid work that you have been doing in exposing those food pirates. You can still do a great service to the community if you will expose the restaurant pirates who are charging such unreasonable prices for food.

J. STEINBERG.

Dorchester.

Patter and Chatter

By William F. Kirk

A "Cheer Up" Chant

WHY kick about your Income Tax?
Throw off that frown and wear a grin!
The tax is small; why make a squall?
Be glad your income's coming in!
Consider well the ants that dwell
In busy, peaceful little packs.
Come woe or weal, they do not squeal!
Why kick about your Income Tax?

WHY kick about the cost of dress?
'Tis true your grandpa went his way
Togged out in clothes that cost much less—
But grandpa drew Two Beans per day!
Eight dollars for a pair of shoes
Is high—but keep your temper sunny.
No man should mope and have the blues
Till they cut short his long green money!

WHY kick about your chilly flat?
Why roar about the steam pipes leaky?
It's warmer far where you are at
Than up north fighting Bolsheviki!
The genial tramp, an idle scamp,
Though he possess no gleaming treasure,
Would call your berth a heaven on earth,
And three square meals one round of pleasure.

WHY kick about the pinch of War,
To which we've had our introduction?
We've won what we were fighting for—
Now do your bit for Reconstruction!
Be glad you've seen the Tyrant's fall,
Instead of feeling glum and cranky!
Why kick at anything at all?
BE DOWNRIGHT GLAD THAT YOU'RE A YANKEE!

American Is Not Committed to Support Strikers

At a meeting of strike sympathizers in Lexington Hall, Lawrence, Sunday afternoon, a Boston newspaper reporter, who is not connected with the Boston Evening American, pledged the editorial support of the American to the cause of the strikers. His statement was unauthorized, untrue and misleading.

The Boston American's policy on the Lawrence strike has been, and will continue to be, one of fairness to both sides. The American is not committed to the support of the strikers or to the support of the mill owners.

WHEN WE'RE LUCKY AND BLIND TO THE FACT

By Winifred Black

SHE'S a stenographer, and a good stenographer — sometimes. She's quick-witted, good-humored, industrious, intelligent, but she never keeps a position longer than two or three months at a time.

"I lose all interest in my work," she says. "I love books and pictures and music, and I hate drudgery. I can't stay in one place long; the inner unrest drives me on. What shall I do? I am the support of my mother, and my conscience says keep on with the drudgery, but my soul cries out for wider scope. What shall I do?"

Do, my dear child? What is there for you to do but keep on working? What other excuse is there for the food you eat and the roof that shelters you?

How many persons do you think there are in the world who work because they want to, or because they enjoy the work they find to do? Not one in ten thousand, and you're just one of the Ones.

You Are Rich

So you love music, pictures, books. Hurrah for you! You ought to be thankful for all these tastes, and you should say a little prayer of gratitude every time you think of them. They are worth everything in the world to you.

You're rich, dear child, richer far than the old fellow who pays you to write his letters for him, and who is bored to death at the very thought of a decent book, and who can't stay awake when he hears good music to save his life.

Every taste of that sort is capital to you, so much in the bank of human enjoyment.

Give up your honest, regular work to go mooning around looking for "higher things?" What nonsense, what utter nonsense!

What higher thing is there in life than just the thing you are doing—taking good care of your mother?

What's the difference between you right now and the dreamer who sits all day in an attic trying to be "an artist," and dreaming of great deeds nobly done? Just this: You are earning your right to live and the dreamer is dreaming away all that makes life worth living at all.

Living a Story

And don't make yourself a martyr. You aren't a martyr at all. You're a very lucky girl. You can earn your own living, take care of the mother who bore you, and have lots of time left to think about books and music and pictures. And, whisper! There's nothing particularly high about an idea just because it's between the covers of a book or on the canvas behind a frame. It's the idea that counts—the idea and the way it's carried out.

Stories! Why, you're living a story every day, and it's your business to see that it is a good story with a good ending, too.

And, whisper! Where did you get that notion that it is "noble" to paint pictures, "fine" to write books, and "grand" to make music, but ignoble to make eighteen dollars a week taking dictation and writing on a typewriter?

Copyright, 1919, by Newspaper Feature Service, Inc. Great Britain rights reserved.

Foch and His Cigar

A member of Marshal Foch's staff, during his recent visit to London, said he believes the famous General has smoked the same cigar since the war started. He always has it in his mouth. Before meals he carefully lays it on the table, and after meals it goes back into his mouth. The same procedure is gone through when he goes to bed. He never lights it, and has never been seen smoking a lighted cigar.

SHALL AIRPLANES ALIGHT ON YOUR LAND?

Thirty-six brand new puzzlers are facing the arbiters of the nations' fate at the Peace Conference—and about the rights of airplanes to come and go at their will. As though "whom the earth belongs to" were not enough—settlement must now be made of whose the air belongs to, too! Also—will you let your farm or home grounds become a common landing place for the myriad planes of the future? Interesting discussion of these topics in the next

BOSTON SUNDAY ADVERTISER AND AMERICAN

Today

A Travelled Dog. 1,000,000 Pounds Flying. How to Live 100 Years. Taxation and Ambition.

—By Arthur Brisbane—

(Copyright, 1919.)

One million two hundred thousand pounds weight flying through the air and actually lighter than the air displaced. That is the new super-Zeppelin lighter-than-air ship built by the British, described by the London Mail.

This boat, 670 feet long, carrying a cargo of thirty tons, will fly from England to America and back without stopping to take on fuel.

There is a REAL airship. It would fly six miles up, where no strong winds ever blow. A fleet of such ships could fly out of sight, up in the air, as a submarine comes hidden under water.

This Zeppelin would indicate that the far-seeing British have plans for a dominating aerial navy, as well as the biggest navy on water. She was built for war, and would have carried bombs weighing five hundred and eighty pounds each, with plenty of guns.

With such fighting machines possible, it was time for the nations to substitute arbitration for war.

You read that "Frau Luise" Ebert, wife of the $250,000 president of the German republic, has always done her own cooking, housework and dressmaking. Needless to say she is thin, while her husband is fat.

The most bitter anti-German will hardly grudge that lady the rest she will get for the first time. Some American Presidents' wives did their own housework, and their pictures look as though they did their dressmaking. Mrs. John A. Logan, nearly a President's wife, used to sit down last of all, roll down her sleeves and distribute the dinner she had just cooked. Nobody knows how many votes that was worth to the general.

Socialists ruling Germany announce their intention to seize the greater part of big fortunes, "striking the rich in their most sensitive spot, the pocketbook," as a leader puts it. And inheritances are to be taken over by government with the exception of a modest sum.

That sounds like a program to make the poor happier. It is really a program to make the able man less productive and useful.

In Central Africa the lion fighter wants many wives, and fat ones. They let him have them that he may continue killing lions.

In white civilization the able man wants surplus money and the pleasure of making his children worthless by leaving it to them. Let him have his way, that he may continue using his brain for the general good, except in gambling or extortion through trusts. A man rarely makes a great fortune without doing more for others than he does for himself.

If the German republic kills off the ambition of Germany's able, selfish men the workers will suffer more than the selfish man with the ambition taxed out of him.

"Is travel a good thing for youth? Is university education a good thing?" You have heard those questions. A Frenchman said of travel: "It forms youth, when it does not deform it." Same of life at a university. Many men that would have been useful have been destroyed by the college. There they lost confidence in themselves, adopted false standards of living and amounted to nothing.

From his travel a man brings information only when he starts with information. The Esquimaux brought from the North knew no more about the world on their return than they knew before.

Major Albert Smith has just completed a flight from San Diego to New York and return. The return trip across the continent consumed forty hours of flying time.

A police dog made the round trip through the air. How much more does the dog know about America than he knew before he started? Nothing, and it is the same with man bipeds that make "the grand tour."

Read, think and take information with you, or don't waste money on travel.

A widow lady in New Jersey, celebrating her hundredth birthday, says living a hundred years is simple. Have a clear conscience, work a little in the garden in nice weather. Go to bed at six-thirty and get up at half-past eight. Eat carefully, do not worry, have a comfortable home and stick to it. Have a moderate income and never spend beyond it.

A good, simple recipe, and how well thousands of other widows would like to take the advice! The trouble is to carry out the program.